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HOMEWARD BOUND.

General Miles Coming to the United States.

ALL IN PORTO RICO PEACEFUL

The Spanish Representative Is Conducting Himself in a Very Admirable Manner —The Grateful Merchants.

GENERAL HENRY'S MEN NEED FOOD

PONCE, PORTO RICO, August 21.—(Delayed in transmission).—Major General Miles has decided to leave with his staff for Washington in a few days, possibly to-morrow. He will turn over his command to General Brooke, who is expected to reach here to-morrow for a conference.

General Miles has arranged matters generally with Captain General Macias preparatory to the meeting of the peace commission at San Juan. General Macias, while maintaining his outposts, is steadily retiring his forces to the capital preparatory to their embarkation.

Mail communication between Ponce and San Juan has been established and the overland telegraph wires which have been severed will be connected immediately. All that will remain for the commission to do, General Miles says, will be to secure an inventory of the government property transferred to the Americans and to give receipts to the Spanish authorities.

Captain General Macias, in his various communications with General Miles, has shown the best spirit. He is anxious to co-operate in bringing about an evacuation at the earliest moment possible, and is placing no obstacles in the way of the volunteers returning home.

Lieutenant Colonel Ramery, the highest Spanish volunteer officer in the island, reached here last night from Aibonito. Other officers have been coming through our lines all day. Lieutenant Colonel Ramery says that the Spanish forces at Aibonito were short of ammunition and water and entirely dependent for food upon Cayey. They must have succumbed, he declares, as soon as General Brooke struck Cayey.

According to a letter from San Juan the Spanish residents there who had fled from the city have returned and there is great rejoicing among them that the war ended, a feeling shared by the soldiery. Colonel Sanmartin, former Spanish commander at Ponce who abandoned the city on the approach of the Americans and who, it was reported, had been shot for forsaking the city is in the hospital sick. He has been stripped of his rank. The Ponce merchants express their gratitude at his course because the flight of his command prevented the destruction of their property and they are raising a subscription for him.

General Miles will advise General Brooke to embark the Spanish prisoners here and send them immediately to San Juan. It is expected that Rear Admiral Schley will be there in a few days. Most of the troops in the island will remain stationary until the final details have been settled, and they will then march to San Juan, where they will embark. General Miles will consult with the authorities at Washington as to the force that is to remain. The volunteers are anxious to go home.

To-day (Sunday) the liquor saloons were closed and for the first time in the history of the island there was a public Protestant religious service. The officers and men on the monitors at Gusnica think it unnecessary to keep the ships there any longer. These vessels are absolutely unsuited to a tropical climate like that here, and the Puritan's officers have sent a formal complaint to Secretary Long. At Aguado, north of Mayaguez, the Spanish troops killed two natives last Friday.

PROSPECTIVE REORGANIZATION

The Valentine Iron Works Sold at Sheriff's Sale Monday.

The plant of the Valentine Iron company was sold at sheriff's sale Monday for the nominal bid of $1,000. And this for a property that has a nominal value of not less than a half million dollars. The entire holdings of the company include 347 acres of lands, the furnace plant, ore mines with improved washing machinery and the ore right on over 12,000 acres of land. The sale and purchase was subject to a lien indebtedness of $165,000, $75,000 of which is by mortgage held by John M. Dale, trustee, representing the original security given by the Valentine company at its organization in 1891 for the capital secured at that time; the remaining $90,000 is a judgment held by Robert Valentine against the company to secure himself as endorser for money borrowed during the last year the company was in operation. In addition to the above there is a floating indebtedness of about $75,000 against the company.

The sale was allowed to go by default by the creditors, who were the defendants in the issue. It was the orignal plan to purchase the plant, and with the assistance of Baltimore capitalists, organize a new company to operate the furnace. Butwhen the hour of sale arrived not one of the creditors put in an appearance, and the plant was bid in by John M. Dale and A. O. Furst, attorneys for the Valentine Iron company. Attorney Dale stated that the purchase was the beginning of the plan for an entire reorganization of the old company with a view to again putting the works in operation; that work to that end would be pushed as rapidly as possible and it was the expectation of the purchasers to have the plant in first-class condition and ready for operation before the end of the year.

The capacity of the furnace will be increased to 150 tons per day and the latest improved machinery will be put in.

Resolutions of Respect Adopted by K. of G. E. Over Deaths of E. L. Powers, and John Roundtree.

WHEREAS it has pleased God in his providence to remove from us by sudden death, our Sir Knight and Brother. Edward L. Powers, Therefor be it.

Resolved, That we, as members of the Knights of the Golden Eagle, Bellefonte Castle, No. 357, hereby express our regrets that we have had taken from us, by the Almighty hand, a true and upright brother.—

That we tender our heartfelt sympathy and condolence to the family and friends in the hour of their intense bereavement, and commend to them the tender care of Him who careth for all.—

That the Charter of our benevolent Order be draped for the period of thirty days; that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the order; that they be published in the papers of this County and that a copy of the same be sent to the family of our deceased brother.

W. HARRISON WALKER,
W. P. KUHN,
BOYD A. MUSSER,

WHEREAS Death has entered the home, and taken from us our Sir Knight and Brother, John T. Roundtree, and WHEREAS that in the sudden removal of such a prominent citizen, an upright business man and a kind husband, we feel that his death will be deeply realized by all his relatives and friends. and will prove a grevious loss to the community and to our benevolent order, Therefor be it.

Resolved, That we, as members of th Knights of the Golden Eagle, Bellefonte Castle, No. 357, here assembled, give expression and manifest our sincere sympathy for our deceased brother's wife and friends for the great loss they sustained.—

That these resolutions be enrolled upon the records of our order; a copy of the same be sent to the wife of our deceased brother; that they be published in the papers of Centre County, and that the Charter of the Order be draped for the period of thirty days.

W. HARRISON WALKER,
W. P. KUHN,
BOYD A. MUSSER.

The man who hath an abundance of money now layeth in his winter coal.

If you suffer from sores, boils, pimples, or if your nerves are weak and your system run down you, should take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

TWO WERE KILLED.

Their Heads Were Mangled by Bridge Girders.

A MOST REGRETFUL CATASTROPHE

The Returning Troops Had Been Greeted with Great Enthusiasm All Along the Way and Were Reciprocating.

THE DEAD WERE LEFT BEHIND

PHILADELPHIA, August 24.—Two private soldiers of battery K, First United States artillery, were instantly killed Tuesday and two others seriously injured by having their heads crushed against the iron girders of the railroad bridge at the Ridge avenue crossing of the Pennsylvania railroad in this city. The dead are Victor Teusey, aged 21, of 1427 North Eighth street, St, Louis, and William Chichester, aged 21 226 Front street, Jersey City. The injured are Harry Pulaski and Peter Burns. The bodies of the dead soldiers are at the morgue in this city, while the injured were taken on to Willet's Point, to which place the men were bound.

The command to which the men belonged were in a special train which had taken them abroad at Tampa. It consisted of a baggage car, seven passenger coaches and Pullman. All along the journey north the soldiers were greeted with cheers. While passing through this city their reception was marked with additional enthusiasm. At the Ridge avenue station a large crowd waved hats and handkerchiefs as the train came along. The soldiers leaned far out of the car windows and steps and returned the welcome. Teusey stood far out on the lower step and failed to notice the iron girders supporting the bridge. His face was completely crushed in. The other men had been leaning from the windows. The train was stopped and the dead and injured were picked up. The army officers insisted upon taking the dead men with them and the railroad and police officials would not permit it. A delay of an hour resulted, and it was finally decided to leave the dead men behind and take the injured along.

Death of Mrs. Griffith.

Monday night about 12 o'clock the angel of death entered the Griffith home at Pleasant Gap and took hence the spirit of Mrs. Hester Griffith. Her death was due to cancer from which she had been suffering for some time. She was aged 75 years and was the mother of John Griffith and Mrs. Harrison both of Pleasant Gap.

The funeral will take place this Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Lutherancemetery at Pleasant Gap.

Will Picnic at Hunters Park.

Every year the employees of the Morrison & Cass Paper Company, of Tyrone, hold a big picnic which is always largely attended. This year they will hold their annual picnic at Hunters Park on the line of the Bellefonte Central railroad, Saturday, September 17th, and the usual big crowd is expected. Last year there were 16 carloads of people present.

Died From His Injuries.

Edward H. Taylor, of Smethport, attended the firemen's convention at Ridgeway last week. Saturday night he boarded a freight train on the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railway. As the train was going over a forty-foot trestle work, Taylor fell on the track. The wheels crushed his leg below the knee, and the man fell to the ravine below. He was taken to Johnsonburg, where he died. He leaves a wife and five children. He was 40 years old.

PEACE AND PROSPERITY!

Business Booms in Manila and Quiet Prevails on the island.

MOVE MADE FOR ANNEXATION

Filipinos In Europe Hope United States will Keep the Islands—Insurgents Regard Dewey as a Father.

ENGLISH AID HAS BEEN THOUGHT OF.

MANILA, Philippine Islands, Aug. 24.—The rumors of troubles between the natives and the Americans are for the most part unfounded. The fact is that the insurgents have been unwilling to disarm until assured of the permanence of American protection.

The distrust felt as to the Spanish bank, which originated in rumors as to an excessive note issue to aid the Spanish authorities, led to a run on the institution, but the British banking houses came to its assistance and averted a failure.

Business is now booming. The obstructions in the river Pasig, which flows through the town, have been removed, and the water works have resumed operations.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The Associated Press learns that the Philippine junta in London received a dispatch from Manila Monday announcing that matters there are rapidly quieting down and that the friction between Aguinaldo and the Americans is disappearing.

According to the junta's advices, the insurgents for a time regarded Gen. Merritt and Gen. Anderson as martinets and feared they would adopt harsh methods, like the Spaniards toward the Filipinos, but the insurgents. from the first, have had the greatest confidence in Admiral Dewey, whom they regard as a sort of a father and the most important American at Manila.

The junta is satisfied that all friction will soon disappear and that there will be no trouble from the insurgents if the Americans decided to retain the Philippines.

According to a wealthy Filipino, now in London, the Filipinos in Europe are all well-to-do people. Hitherto they have held aloof from the insurgents, but they now realize that their interests demand action, and they are about to form a committee to open negotiations with the junta here. They are all in favor of having the archipelago retained by the United States.

So strong is their conviction of the desirability of this course, that they had contemplated approaching the British foreign office to invite Great Britain to intervene, and in any event, to prevent the islands being returned to the control of Spain. They decided, however, to await American action.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 24.— The following dispatch has been sent to Gen. Merritt at Manila:

The president is glad to know that you have ample force. Keep only such ships as you may require for transportation purposes. Every provision will be made for the health of your command and the comfort of your sick. You are authorized to use any of the transport ships for hospital purposes and the naval hospital at Hong Kong can be utilized for the soldiers in case of necessity. The troops of your entire camp should be put in camp or quarters, as you decide. The question of returning any troops can only be decided after the notification of the report of peace commission, which cannot be for some weeks, even months, yet.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 23.—The state department received a call yesterday from M. Thiebaut, secretary of the French embassy and in charge during the absence of Ambassador Cambon, who bore a notification from the Spanish government of the military commissioners for Cuba and Porto Rico. Under the peace protocol, each government was to name its military commissioners within ten days, their meetings to begin within thirty days. The ten days was up yesterday, and accordingly Spain gave the official notice of the appointments. They are as follows:

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FRIGHTFUL WRECK.

Terrible Accident On a Massachusetts Railroad.

EXPRESS TELESCOPES LOCAL

The Local Was Standing in the Station When the Express Dashed Into It, Crushing Out the Lives of the Passengers.

FEW OF THE DETAILS ARE GIVEN.

SHARON, Mass., August 22.—A local train from Providence, R. I.; on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, due in Boston at 7:45 p. m., while standing at the depot last-night. was telescoped by an express train from New Bedford a number of people were killed, besides many injured.

TAUNTON, Mass., August 22.—Word was received here at 7:30 last-night of a fearful railroad accident at Sharon, on the New York, New Haven and Hartford road, and an urgent request made for physicians and undertaker's wagons. All the physicians in town, as well as three undertakers and their wagons were immediately dispatched to the scene of the accident, followed by a large crowd of sight-seers. The surrounding country has been thoroughly aroused and a large quantity of sheets, bedding and rude hospital supplies were dispatched from this town to Sharon, a distance of about four miles.

BOSTON, August 22.—The dead are: Franklin M. Waters, Severville, Mass., Mrs. William J. Fitzpatrick, Boston, her grand daughter, Mary Fitzpatrick, 10 years of age, and her grandson, 5 years old; a woman supposed to be Mrs. Watson, of Wetherly, R. L., Mrs. C. H. Briscoe, of Revere.

The injured are: James H . Fitzpatrick, 18 years old, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whitcomb, Boston; Mrs. James Ray and her aged mother, Jamaica Plains; Mr. Crockett. Somerville. Mass.; Mrs. Alice Braman, South Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Ericson and child; Daniel C. Cantor, D. C, McCann, South Boston, Fred Tudor, South Boston; Mr. and Mrs. J. Ogden, Lowell; Mrs. Maggie O'Connor and two children, Boston; George Quinn, Providence, Miss Fitzpatrick, 8 years old, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Jordon, Boston; C. W. Dadman. Boston; Mrs. Ida M. Walker, Waltham; J. A. Philips, Boston; A. E. Newmark, Pittsburg; Joseph M. Mann, Providence; Mrs. Della V. Brennan, South Boston; Marguerite M. Grimshaw, Somerville.

TAUNTON, Mass., August 22.—A message to the railroad officers received told of a frightful loss of life in a railroad accident at Sharon, but the latest information places the list of dead at three and the injured at eighteen. The train which leaves Taunton at 6:26 runs to Mansfield, where it is generally met by the train which leaves Providence at 6.8. This latter train usually takes up the two rear cars of the Taunton train. Owing to the heavy travel Sunday it is said that the Providence train was run in two sections. At Sharon, according to the reports received here, the rear section ran into and telescoped the first section, the engine plunging through the rear cars, It is almost impossible to get particulars from the railroad officials.

BOSTON, August 22.—Fifteen ambulances awaited the arrival of the train at the Park Square station, which brought the injured from the scene of the railroad wreck at Sharon. A crowd of fully 3,000 people had assembled by the time the first train from the wreck arrived. Thirty hospital attendants, and a number of surgeons were also on hand.

Quite a number of the patients were taken in charge, but the greater number were taken to their homes.

Daniel C. McCann, an express messenger, was badly injured in extracting a man who was pinned between the engine's headplate and the flooring of the telescoped car. Just in front of the prisoner lay his wife, crushed and bleeding, but he was unable to help her. The woman died in a few moments.

Six persons were killed and twenty-six seriously wounded. The injured were nearly all brought to Boston. The rear car of the local train was completely demolished and a portion of the second car, while the engine of the express train was crippled.

—A "Harvest Home" service will be held in St. John's Lutheran church on Sunday morning 10:30. The church will be handsomely decorated with the first fruits of the earth. The pastor will preach an appropriate sermon. You are cordially invited.

GALLOWS CHEATED!

Murderer Charles O. Kaiser Commits Suicide.

HE FOOLED THE OFFICIALS

They Were Conferring Over the Purchase of Scaffolding and Consequently Were not Keeping a Watch On Him.

A BRIEF STORY OF HIS CRIME

Norristown, Pa., August 19.—Charles O. Kaiser, who was to have been hanged two weeks from next Tuesday for the murder of his wife, Emma Kaiser, committed suicide yesterday afternoon in the county jail by cutting several arteries in his arm after which he hanged himself with an improvised rope made by twisting one of his bed sheets. While the condemned man was preparing to cheat the gallows, the prison officials were in conference concerning the purchase of a scaffolding by which to carry out the law. As a consequence Kaiser was not being watched. When found he had been dead but a short time.

Kaiser had obtained a spring from a small alarm clock in his cell, and with this severed several arteries in his arm. To make sure of his act he had twisted the bed sheet about the bars of the cell door,and making a noose placed it about his neck. He both strangled and bled to death.

Mrs. Kaiser was murdered on the night of October 28, 1996. She and her husband had gone driving and she never returned alive Kaiser told a story of being attacked by highwaymen who had robbed him and his wife then killed her and shot him. He was arrested and convicted for the crime and subsequently confessed, implicating James A. Clemmer and his mistress, Lizzie De Kalb, known through the witnesses as "The Women in Black." Clemmer and the DeKalb woman were apprehended in New Jersey over a year later and Kaiser and the woman testified that Clemmer fired the shot. The woman pleaded guilty to accessory after the fact. Clemmer was convicted and sentenced to death. Both Clemmer and the woman occupy cells in the same jail close to where Kaiser took his life.

A Great Book Free!

When Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., published the first edition of his great work, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, he announced that after 680,000 copies had been sold at the regular price, $1.50 per copy, the profit on which would repay him for the great amount of labor and money expended in producing it; he would distribute the next half million free. As this number of copies has already been sold, he is now giving away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this most complete, interesting and valuable common sense medical work ever published—the recipient only being required to mail to him, at above address, twenty one (21) one-cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent post-paid. It is veritable medical library, complete in one volume. Contains 1008 pages, profusely illustrated. The Free Edition is precisely the same as that sold at $1.50 except only that the books are in strong manila paper covers instead of cloth. Send Now before all are given away.

Queer Case of Somnambulism.

A strange case of somnambulism occured to twelve-year-old Lloyd Harris, of Danville. He was with a camping party along the river, near Cameron, and while asleep after the midday meal, was seen to arise from his hammock and start to walk across the fields toward the canal about two hundred feet distance. His movements were noticed to be peculiar, but he was given no particular consideration until he was seen to wade directly through a swamp and finally plunge into the waters of the canal. A boatman rescued him, completely exhausted, as he was sinking for the last time. Young Harris says he was not aware of anything he did until awakened by the water strangling him

—A Bar Harbor well digger declares that he was shocked by electricity while digging. To test thoroughly the matter he lowered a dog into the well, and when the dog was taken out it was dead.

CURTIN'S GRAPHIC STORY.

A Letter From the Young Ensign to His Father Gen. John I. Curtin.

A letter has been received here by Gen. John I. Curtin, the father of Roland Curtin, who, as ensign of the Wasp, took such a prominent part in the surrender of Ponce, being the officer who demanded the surrender of that city. The latter verifies the dispatches in every particular, which described the event as a very thrilling one. Speaking of the engagement the ensign said:

"We arrived at Cape San Juan on July 26, and there met the Columbia, who told us of the change of the army's plans and sent us around the southern coast of the island to Guanica. The army transports were there, and were landing their troops. We arrived just the day after the bombardment of the place. The enemy made quite a stand, but the sailors from the ships drove them inland, and as Gen. Miles expected, into Porte Ponce. We were, therefore, sent that same evening, with the Dixie, Annapolis and Gloucester, to this place to make a landing for part of the army, with the intention of marching on San Juan, in two columns, one from Guanica and one from Ponce. The Dixie, being the senior ship, led the attack, but on going into the harbor stuck on a bar, and our captain, immediately taking advantage of the situation, forged ahead and ran up within half a mile of the town. The women and children we could see were escaping to the hills in the rear, and the captain, not wishing to fire into the town before all the women and children had left, lowered a boat and sent me to demand the surrender of the place. I went in under a flag of truce, and was met on the dock by crowds of yelling natives. I shall never forget the scene. On the way from the dock to the commandant's office these poor, simple, scared people cheered and cheered, yelling: 'Welcome, and my regards to you,' and a lot of other things in Spanish which I did not understand. The women fell on their knees, and they would crowd around me and touch me with the tips of their fingers as though I was something they had never seen or heard of before. The captain left the terms entirely with me, so when I was taken before the commandant of the town I told him that I demanded the surrender of the town, the same to be done within half an hour under penalty, if not acquiesced in, of shelling the place. He told me he would have to refer the matter to the military governor, who was with the troops in the rear of the town, and he wanted me to go see him. I refused to do this, but I made him send an officer to the governor with my terms, to return within half an hour with his answer. I returned to the boat to get a flag to hoist, which I had forgotten in my haste, and report to the captain, but in the meantime the Dixie had gotten off the bar and Capt. Davis took charge of affairs at this point, and sent an officer from his boat to receive the surrender."

A Very Pretty Wedding.

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening, Aug. 17, in the quiet borough of Unionville. The happy couple on this occasion were Mr. John E. Harpster and Miss Margaret H. Peters, both of that place.

Promptly at the hour of 8 o'clock Mrs. Brown took her place at the organ and rendered the beautiful Mendelsohn wedding march, in her usual artistic and happy manner. While the wedding party marched up the isle to the pulpit, in the following order Mr. John Harper as best man and Miss Hall as maid of honor, then the happy bride and groom, here they were met by the officiating minister, Rev. W. H. Goodling of Bellefonte, who soon spoke the words which united them for life, and also introduced them to the crowd that thronged the church, to witness the ceremony, and informed them that Mr. and Mrs. Harpster would meet their friends at the rear entrance of the church as they would pass out.

The neat new church on this occasion was handsomely draped with our national emblem the Stars and stripes while choice potted plants and cut flowers adorned the pulpit.

Immediately after the service the bride and groom accompanied by their many friends repaired to the residence of Mr. Solomon Confer, where an elegant wedding dinner was served and the many handsome and useful presents received by the young couple, were viewed.

Mr. Harpster is one of Centre County's most industrious and prosperous young farmers, being the owner of one of the best farms in Union township, about one and one half miles above Unionville, at which place he and his fair bride will at once begin housekeeping.

This paper joins with their many friends in wishing them a long life and prosperity. —Weekly papers please copy.

The imbecility of some men is always inviting the embrace of death. It is the delight of such men to boast of what "tough fellows" they are, and tell how they overwork themselves and how they neglect little disorders and little illnesses that put other people on their backs.

It may not sound nice to say so, but it is a fact that the average man is just that; kind of a boastful, cheerful idiot. If his head aches, it isn't worth paying any attention to: if he feels dull and drowsy during the day, it isn't worth serious consideration; if he is troubled with sleeplessness at night, he doses himself with opiates. When he suffers from nervousness, he walks into the nearest drug store and orders powerful medicines that even a physician prescribes with care. He is a very knowing fellow, but without knowing it, he is hugging death. There is a wonderful restorative tonic and health-builder that will keep the hardest working man in good working shape; it is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is made of pure native roots and barks. It contains no minerals, no narcotics and no opiates. It simply aids nature in the natural processes of secretion and excretion. It tones up the stomach and facilitates the flow of digestive juices. It makes a man "hungry as a horse" and then sees to it that the life-giving elements of the food he takes are assimilated into the blood. It invigorates the liver. It drives out all impurities and disease germs from the system. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It is the best of all nerve tonics. It cures bronchial, throat and lung affections as well.

"I had indigestion and a torpid liver," writes Mrs. A. I. Gibbs, of Russellville, Logan County, Ky., "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cured me."

If constipation is also present, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be taken. They never fail; they never gripe. Druggists sell both medicines.

Age no Barrier.

Justice Charles E. Troxell, of Glasgow, performed the ceremony July 21 that united the fortunes and lives of Mr. Robert Hollen and Mrs. Sarah E. Emigh, both of Mountaindale, this county. The groom, familiarly known as "Uncle Bobby" is well known in the county having been one of the oldest residence of Reade township and has served in the capacity of justice of peace for a number of years. He has now attained the age of 81. The bride is a buxom widow of 61, who resides on a little farm on the mountain left her by her former spouse. Here for several years she has tried to procure a living. Uncle Bobert, in the kindness of his heart, has noticed her struggles and for the past two years has lent a helping hand in tilling the corn and gathering in the buckwheat. His attention won the widow's heart and the marriage resulted. Mr. Hollen has a large family of grown up children,numerous grand and great-grand children.

Dr. David Kennedy's
Favorite Remedy
CURES ALL KIDNEY, STOMACH AND LIVER TROUBLES.

The Constable Shot.

In a riot at Chesterfield, a mining village near Houtzdale in Clearfield county, caused by the attempted arrest of a Hungarian by Solomon Mc Cully, a constable of Ramey, one Hungarian was killed from the pistol of the officer When he attempted to make the arrest he was set upon by a score of the man's companions. He called James Gatehouse, an operator, to his assistance, and seeing Gatehouse's life in danger and believeing his own life was also in danger he fired one shot inflicting a wound from which the man died a few hours later. That quelled the riot. The leaders of the mob will be landed in jail at Clearfield.

To Be Mustered Out.

Washington, August 17.—An order was promulgated yesterday, in the war department, by direction of the president, providing for immediately mustering fifty thousand volunteers out of the United States service. This order will be issued as soon as it is approved by the cabinet. The volunteers to be mustered out will likely be those in reserve at the various camps and at regular army posts. Those now in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines will be kept for the present at those places, and the Seventh corps, under General Fitzhugh Lee, in Florida, will also likely be kept to serve as part of the army of occupation for Cuba.

FROM the fact that the new war bonds are now selling at 105, a price which wipes out the whole of the first year's interest and two thirds of the second year's, it is argued that the people of this country have plenty of confidence in our government, as also that they have more money to invest than they can find profitable use for.

WE ARE STILL GROWING!

Do We Have Authority Over All Of the Philippines.

THIS QUESTION MOST UPPERMOST

Admiral Dewey Has Been So Energetic, That We Are Now Likely in Possession of the Whole Batch of Islands, Big and Little.

WASHINGTON AWAITS DEFINITE NEWS

WASHINGTON August, 19.—The war department made public yesterday the dispatch of General Merritt giving the official story of Manila's fall and also the text of the significant instructions sent General Merritt yesterday requiring the insurgents and all others to recognize the authority of the United States in the territory occupied by our forces. These dispatches were about the only positive developments of the day. Nothing has been heard from General Merritt as to the casualties last Saturday except that he estimated the killed and wounded at fifty. Another point on which the officials are without definite information is as to the extent of our present authority in the Philippines. Under the peace protocol the UnitedStates was given the occupation of Manila, the bay and harbor until a permanent disposition of the Philippine Islands was reached. But according to press dispatches, which are so circumstantial as to be credited in most official quarters, General Merritt and Admiral Dewey received the capitulation of the entire Philippine archipelago.

There appears to be some doubt, therefore, even among officials as to whether our present authority and jurisdiction covers Manila only, as provided by the peace protocol or covers all the Philippine Islands, as provided by the reported terms of capitulation to Merritt and Dewey. There is a disposition to await fuller official information before laying down a policy as to the extent of our jurisdiction in the islands. Secretary Alger said yesterday that he had heard nothing official of the surrender of the entire Philippine group. At the same time the secretary did not discredit the accuracy of the press advices stating that the capitulation had this far-reaching effect.

Pending more definite information the attitude of officials is to assume that our authority covers Manila City, Manila bay, and harbor, and also such other territory as may be occupied by the military and naval forces. The latter phrase is elastic enough to cover any or all of the Philippine Islands that may have been brought under our authority by the recent surrender. The instructions sent to General Merritt have in view the expansion of our possesions beyond the terms mentioned in the protocol, as they distinctly state that this government is in possession of Manila and that its authority to preserve peace and order will be exerted "within the territory occupied by their military and naval forces."

The cabinet meeting today is expected to deal with the many detailed questions concerning the Philippines, Cuba and Porto Rico, which have arisen since the peace protocol was signed. The state department today received another international congratulation on the restoration of price, this one coming from the British ambassador, Sir Julian Pauncefote who is now sojourning at New London, Conn. The ambassador communicated the expression of profound gratification with which her majesty's government learned of the signature of the preliminaries of peace between the United States and Spain and the sincere congratulations to the president and the government of the United States upon the termination of the war.

Acting Secretary Allen had a busy day making final arrangements for the naval review at New York on Saturday. He extended to the French ambassador, M. Cambon, the courtesy of going on the flagship New York during the review. The ambassador had already arranged, however, to witness the review from the tug of the French Trans-Atlantic line.

AFTER THE WAR IS OVER.

The war is over.
Blanco is out of a job.
Let the Eagle scream.
Send the news to Dewey.
Uncle Sam is a happy man.
It was all Day with Sagasta.
It took just 113 days to do it.
All honor to the Navy and Army.
General Lee is the Man for Cuba.
All the Morro Castles are ours now.
Who says Friday's an unlucky day?
The American Navy can now go abroad
Slice the cables and pull up the mines.
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Will it be "Cuba Libre" or "Cuba U. S. A?"
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Will Be Encamped Near Harrisburg within Ten Days.

Harrisburg August 17.—Sixteen thousand troops will be encamped near this city within the next ten days. Colonel James M. Moore, assistant quartermaster of the United States army, is here personally directing the arrangements of the camp. General Superintendent F.L Sheppard and Frank P. Abercrombie, superintendent of the Bedford division of the Pennsylvania railroad are also on the ground pushing the work.

A train load of 300 mules from Thoroughfore Gap reached the camp yesterday morning. An hour later a long train containing wagons and other quartermaster stores, pulled into camp. Among the first troops to arrive will be the First Delaware, Second Virginia, Tenth Ohio and Third battalion of the Sixteenth Pennsylvania regiment.

A New Railway in England.

The construction of a new great railway is so rare and even in England that the opening Monday for mineral traffic of the Great Central is an interesting event from several points of view. The old Manchester Sheffield and Lincolnshire was a purely cross-country line, very busy no doubt, and serving important districts, but having no connection with London. It ran straight across the island from Liverpool to Grimsby; but now, by joining forces with the Metropolitan railway, it has at length fulfilled its dearest ambitions and has obtained an entrance into London. Starting Annesley, by Nottingham. the trunk now runs in a southerly direction through Nottingham, Loughborough, Leicester and Rugby to Quainton Road, the Buckinghamshire terminus of the Metropolitan. The Great Central has swept away no inconsiderable portion of St. John's Wood, and it was only with difficulty that Lord's was saved from its tender mercies. If competition be a good thing the new line ought to be very useful, since it provides an alternative route to Midland and North Western to the North Midlands. We are sorry the directors did not decide to continue the name of a portion of the site of the new terminus by calling it Boscobel, which is much prettier than Marylebone Road. Boscobel Gardens has been destroyed to make way for it.

"See a Pin and Pick it Up."

It may be before long that our pins will have to be dipped in carbolic acid before being put on our bureaus. For pins have been proved to be a source of danger in spreading contagious diseases. All kinds of germs, it is said, can be collected under the heads, and nurses who indulge the feminine art of holding pins in their mouths lay themselves open to serious attack. The doctors who have warned the public say that many of the so-called new pins are not new at all, but have been picked up in the street and laid side by side with the others. The idea is not altogether pleasant one, and is, moreover, one likely to increase the uneasiness of the over fastidious.

There are some women now who are so afraid of germs that they wash all their gold and silver pieces before handling them, and who never allow a bank-bill to go into their purses until it has been wrapped in some kind of disinfecting paper. They even require the shop girls who hand them their change to wrap it in paper first. What is to be done, if all this is so, with the popular superstition about picking up all the pins that one sees and never passing a penny in the street? —Harper's Bazar.

The War Tax.

As to the length of time the new war revenue tax will continue to be collected after the conclusion of the war, a government official said. "It is impossible to answer any such question. The law was passed by congress and it must be repealed by congress. The present congress certainly will not repeal it and it is probable that the law with reference to the war tax will stand for at least five years.

"Of course," he said, it would hardly look well for me to say what the United States government will do or is likely to do, but that is my personal opinion. One thing is certain, and that is that the expenses of this war are yet to be paid, and we have not paid off all the debt of our previous war, and it is not at all likely that the war tax law will be repealed until some of this debt is canceled, and that will take some time, even with the increased tax and any indemnity the government could receive from Spain.

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The Republican Party.

A year ago most of the political prophets were predicting all kinds of trouble to the Republican party this fall. The entire country, so they said, would be up in arms because of the Dingley bill and various other acts of commission and omission of the party. That Congress would be Republican again was open to the gravest doubt, but if there was a majority in favor of that organization, it would be so small as hardly worth having. If one listening to these wiseacres he was shown that a great majority of the Republican members were so sure of defeat that they had concluded not to be candidates.

But things are different now President McKinley has fought and won the war with Spain, the Dingley bill has turned out to be all and more than its authors claimed for it; the people are prosperous and growing more and more so every day, and to use an expression of the people, "Things are coming our way."

No one doubts that the people next fall will show their opinion of President McKinley's course by electing a Congress with a greater Republican majority than the present one has. The party is united and aggressive, while the Democratic party is without an issue of any value. It is in no shape to make a fight, so that about all it will be able to do this fall is to travel in the wake of the dominant party.

Sparks from the Wire.

Hail has damaged 75,000 acres of wheat in North Dakota this year.

The American flag floats from the top of Kaala, the highest point of the island of Oahu, Hawaii

While fishing at Muncy, Lycoming county, a party of boys upset their boat, and Edward Wertman was drowned.

A car load of melons and other fruit has been shipped from Southern California for the sick soldiers of General Shafter's army.

A Ponce despatch quotes General Miles as saying that Aibonito would have been his within four days had not the protocol been signed.

A great heat wave has prevailed throughout England and France during the last three days. There were many cases of heat prostration in London.

Commander John C. Wagner, editor of the Shippensburg News, has been appointed an aide-de-camp on the staff of Department Commander Patterson, Grand Army of the Republic.

The moon revolves from one point in the heavens to the same point in twenty seven days, seven hours and forty three minutes.

Saved from the Surgeon's Knife

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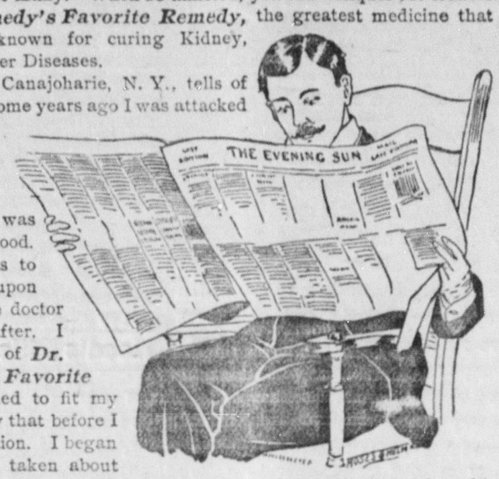

James Lettice, of Canajoharie, N. Y., tells of his wonderful cure: "Some years ago I was attacked with pains in my back and sides that were fearful. I could not control my kidneys, and what came from me was filled with mucus and blood. An Albany doctor was to perform an operation upon me, and said my home doctor could take care of me after. I saw an advertisement of ***Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy,*** which seemed to fit my case, so I decided to try that before I submitted to the operation. I began its use. When I had taken about two bottles the flow from the bladder grew cleaner, and the pain stopped, and in a short time I was saved from the surgeon's knife, and am now well."

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Aguinaldo, the Leader.

The unknown quantity in the Philippine equation is the insurgent chief, Aguinaldo. No matter what agreement we come to with Spain, either she or we must reckon with this venturesome spirit. He is evidently not the man to be counted out when it comes to the final balancing of accounts, and therefore his personality is of great interest to us at the present time.

Aguinaldo is a young man—being barely twenty-seven. He was born in the village of Imus, province of Cavite, on the island of Luzon. His father was a planter of rice and sugar cane, but the plantation has long been claimed by the religious Order of Recollets, and has been the subject of interminable litigation. Aguinaldo was sent to the College of St. Jean de Lateran, which is under the control of the Dominican fathers. There he studied, but apparently without much success, although he acquired a thorough knowledge of Spanish and Latin. He was accordingly sent home to his father, who was told that the boy was a numbskull and was better fitted for a military career than that of priest or the professions of letters or science.

Aguinaldo's father did not agree with this opinion, and sent him to the Jesuit Normal School at Manila and there his rapid development was attracting the attention of the professors when his father died and the son hurried back to Imus to cultivate his land and fight the Recollets. In 1883 Dr. Rizal organized at Manila the Philippine League. Its purpose was to draw the islands of the archipelago into closer relations. Aguinaldo was deeply interested in this, and after Dr. Rizal was deported he became one of the leaders in the secret society called "Katipunan," the "Society of Co-operation," or, in other words, a republican-socialist organization. The "League," the "Katipunan," and the "Freemasons" now became the object of the most cruel repressive laws that Spain could enforce. The pursuit and persecution of known members was most merciless.

Aguinaldo, who was active in all three organizations, but especially that of the Masonic fraternity, was the special object of the government's suspicion. A Spanish officer with a dozen native soldiers, was sent to arrest him. Without hesitating an instant, Aguinaldo brained the officer and appealed to the escort so strongly that instead of arresting him they took him safely through the town to the mountains and became the nucleus of the insurrection which now numbers a fighting force of upwards of 30,000 men.

Regarding his recent career authorities differ. Some say that he sold out his confederates and escaped to China, where he entered into communication with Dewey. Others deny this. Though not a highly educated man, he numbers among his native Tagal associates graduates of English and Continental colleges and universities. He is evidently a born leader.

Such is the man who is holding his forces and his supplies in reserve to be used when he finds out whether he must fight Spain or the United States. He is in a better position to fight now than he has been since the insurrection started, thanks to American supplies. Aguinaldo is a force that must be reckoned with when the Peace Commissioners meet in Paris. If he is wise he will offer no objection to annexation.

A Bumble Bee Eater.

The lobby of the Elkton hotel has for years been headquarters for politicians, bondholders and gentlemen of means and leisure, and the intellectual sparring between them is often interesting and sometimes amusing. An instance is of recent occurrence. On this occasion sat together City Judge Clements, Dr. F. M. Perkins, Colonel D. J. Page, ex-Judge Perkins and Colonel Jim Luckett, the noted trader. Colonel Luckett told a story that the other boys say just simply takes the rag off the bush and absorbs the cake with all the flavoring.

"It runs about as follows," says Colonel Luckett: "You know that about this time of year the farmers mow their meadows, and in these meadows bumblebees often have big nests. In olden times people used to cut their meadows with a blade, and one big negro did the work. My father had the most remarkable darky in the world, named Obedior. This Obedior didn't care a straw for bumble-bees. He wore nothing on his person but his pants, and from his hips up was totally bare. I have seen Obedior stir up a nest of these bumble-bees, and as they alighted on his naked shoulders he picked them off and ate them, without so much as getting a sting or losing a lick with his scythe.

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"Now look here John," said the colonel kindly, "what do you mean by this sort of thing?"

"I mean to quit, Colonel," he responded.

"You've said that a million times. You ought to be ashamed of yourself. You are a man of more than ordinary intelligence, you have nice people at home, you are of a good family, you are quick to learn the duties of a soldier, you are clean, you look well, you keep your accoutrements in fine condition, you are obedient, you are always willing to take your share of the hardships, you never complain, and, in fact you are a model soldier with one exception."

"What's that Colonel?" asked John just a shade leerily, it must be confessed.

"You will get drunk."

"Is that all, Colonel?"

"That's enough isn't it?"

John steadied himself by the Colonel's table.

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A Big Nest of Snakes.

The Watsontown Record and Star says: Before coming home for a vacation, A. B. Seiler went out from Pardee into the mountains to superintend some lumber operations. While the party, seven in number were engaged at the work, they discovered a den of snakes among a pile of stones. Removing a large rock they attacked the reptiles and in less than an hour killed every one in sight. Mr. Seiler counted the dead snakes and found just 103 in the lot. Eight were copperheads and the balence rattlesnakes, ranging in size from six inches to three feet in length. He brought home with him a dozen or more strings of rattles and stakes his reputation on the truthfulness of the big snake story.

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Benner twp, S P	Geo. W. Miller,	"
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Boggs Twp W P	J A Crider	Milesburg
Boggs Twp N P	James Croft	Milesburg
Burnside Twp	Samuel Beightol	Moshannon
College Twp	J W Getz	Lemont
Curtin "	R C Daley	Romola
College boro	Philip D Foster	State Coll.
Ferguson Twp E P	Claudius B Hess	Fairbook
Ferguson " W P	J W Sunday,	Rock Springs
Gregg " N P	Isaac Smith	Farmers Mills
Gregg " W P.	W S Musser,	Spring Mills
Gregg " E P	Jos. K. Bitner.	Penn Hall
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Halnes " W P	Dr C S Musser	Aaronsb'g
Half Moon "	P N Wyre	Loveville
Harris "	Scott Bricker	Boalsburg
Howard "	John Turner	Mt. Eagle
Huston "	Daniel Yothers	Julian
Liberty "	H A Snyder	Blanchard
Marion "	R K Wilson	Walker
Miles E P	John DeLong	Livonia
" N. P.	Sam'l Strohecker	Rebersburg
" W. P	Reuben Grimm	Madisonburg
Patton "	Frank Clemson	Benore
Penn "	James Cooney	Coburn
Potter Twp N P	Geo M Boal	Centre Hall
Potter " S P	Alexander McCoy	Pot'rs Mills
Rush " N P	Thomas James.	Philipsburg
Rush " S P	Harry S Stuart,	Sandy Ridge
Snow Shoe E P	J I Yarnell	Snow Snow
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Spring " S P	M F Riddle	Pleasant Gap
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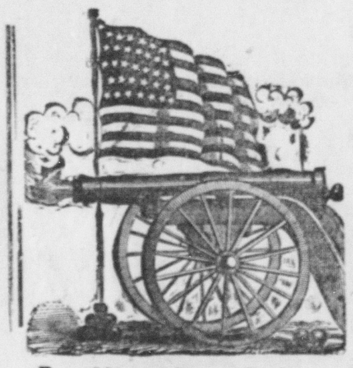

Republican State Ticket.

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Of Allegheny.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
J. P. S. GOBIN,
of Lebanon.

FOR SECRETARY OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS,
JAMES W. LATTA,
of Philadelphia.

FOR JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT.
WILLIAM W. PORTER,
of Philadelphia.
WILLIAM DAVID PORTER,
Of Allegheny.

FOR CONGRESS-AT-LARGE,
SAMUEL A. DAVENPORT,
of Erie.
GALUSHA A. GROW.
of Susquehanna.

Republican County Ticket.

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DuBois.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22nd 1898

President McKinley is still working about eighteen hours out of every, 24 trying to get things in such shape that he can get away from Washington for a few days of much needed rest. He could not get over to New York to see the review or Sampsons and Schley's ships, but he was represented by the entire Cabinet, excepting Secretary Day, and Secretary Long. He has, yet, only definitely settled upon two members of the peace commission—Secretary Day and Senator Davis—but expects to announce the other three this week. He isn't pleased with the attitude of the Spanish, either in Spain or in Cuba, but is biding his time to bring them to their senses, should positive action on his part become necessary.

Secretary Alger bas been pursued by the fakers of political news for sometime, but none of their misrepresentations have been greater than were contained in the story that he was to aid Gov. Pingree to defeat Senator Burrows, and that Senator McMilan was to leave the Senate for the Diplomatic Service and Secretary Alger to take his place in the Senate. It can be stated upon the highest authority, that the whole story was built upon imagination, started to work by Gov. Pingree's call upon Secretary Alger, while be was in Washington, and his accompanying him to New York to see the Naval review. Unless he changes his mind, Secretary Alger will not even take an active part in the Michigan campaign this year, and he says he has no idea of leaving the Cabinet to enter the Senate.

Those pensioners have attached revenue stamps to vouchers and other official documents, sent to the Pension Bureau, have spent money they might have kept. Revenue stamps are not required upon any pension papers. Commissioner Evans has taken special pains to disseminate this information, in order that the pensioners may save their money.

Representative Overstreet, of Indiana, Secretary of the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee, has returned to Washington from a tour of the western states, and will remain at Committee headquarters until the campaign is over. He said: "The glorious achievements of the war will give the republican party a good advantage in the campaign. In Indiana the party was never in a better condition to carry the state. There the fight will be entirely on National issues." Mr. Overstreet thinks the republicans will make decided gains all through the west.

Representative Mudd, of Md., whose renomination will be made this week, says the fight will be made in his district under the Slogan, "gold and growth", the intention being to emphasize the devotion of the party in the district to the gold standard and to the policy of holding al the territory over which our flag has been hoisted. Mr. Mudd expresses confidence that Maryland will again go republican, and that five out of the six members of congress to be elected will be republicans.

An official of the Department of State, whose position makes it necessary for him to be well up in international law, disposed of all the fool talk about this or that foreign government being engaged in negotiating with Spain for the purchase of a naval or coaling station in the Philippines, by saying: "By the terms of the portocol, entirely aside from the surrender at Manila, Spain parted from her sovereignity over the Philippine islands, and the sovereignty will lie in obeyance until the work of the peace commission, which will meet at Paris, Oct. 1, is concluded."

The American members of the Cuban a nd Porto Rican Military Commissions, with the exception of Gen. Brooks, who is in Porto Rico. have been ordered to come to Washington to receive instructions upon such portions of their duties as are not necessarily left to their discretion. It is not likely that either commission will get to work before the first week in September, and it may be later. How long it will take them to complete their work is something which must be guessed at without any data to base a guess.

For the present government supplies sent to Havana will be distributed under the personal supervision of Miss Clara Barton, President of the Red Cross Society.

In mustering out the volunteers, the cavalry and artillery will be the first to go, and when the infantry is reached Secretary Alger will endeavor, so far as possible, to leave those regiments in the service whose members are desirous of remaining, the choice being largely left to the governors of the several states.

The Millers' Annual Convention.

The following account of the Millers' convention to be held here is taken from the Millers' Review of August 15th.

The Pennsylvania Millers' State Association will celebrate its "coming of age" at Bellefonte, Pa., September 27th and 28th next. that having been decided upon by the Board of Directors on July 28. A cordial invitation to come to Bellefonte was extended by the Centre County millers last May and as there is opportunity to increase the membership in the central and western portions of the State, the Directors considered it expedient to accept the invitation. Of course the convention arrangements are not altogether complete yet, but a good strong local committee of millers is at work and from all accounts they are going to show the visitors a royal time. An all afternpon excursion to state College is simply one of the features. The natural attractions of Bellefonte need no puffing; situated in the heart of Pennsylvania's grandest mountain scenery, the locality has long been the Mecca of tourists with appetites for what is delightful in the hills and dales, the valleys and streams. Bellefonte, "the home of Governors," is a famous place and every miller of the State will do himself proud to be with the convention and visit some of the historic shrines there at the beautiful time of the year proposed for the meeting.

The program as far as may be announced at this time is as follows:

Address by Governor Hastings.

Address by General Beaver.

Paper by E. F. Noble: "The Leiter Corner and its Effect on Pennsylvania Millers."

Paper by Thomas R. Burgner: "Competition among Pennsylvania Millers and Its Effect."

Paper by *H.* J. Taylor (State Deputy F. O. M. A.):

"The Practical Side of Milling; 'the Men behind the Guns.'"

Address by President Atherton, State College.

There are several other topics to be treated by men of distinguished ability in their lines which are not, as yet, definitely arranged for, but in the next issue of the Review we hope to announce the completed program. In addition to the above there will be the customary reports by various officers and committees and the usual informal discussions of current milling subjects.

The following is the local committee of arrangements: C. T. Gerberich, J. L. Montgomery, Harry Gerberich, Curtis Wagner, Bellefonte. Fred. Bottorf, Joseph Ard, Pine Grove Mills; Wm. Allison. Spring Mills; James I. Thompson, Lemont, and Henry Brockerhoff, Bellefonte, Secretary of the Committee.

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The Searchlight of Publicity is Pleasing to Bellefonte People.

Publicity is what the people want.
Let the people speak on the subject.
There has been too much claim—too little proof,
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Claims endorsed by strangers are not proof.
There is only one kind of proof for a Bellefonte citizen.
The experience of people we know.
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Make public statement of their case.
There can be no question about such evidence.
This is the proof we have.
Which backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.
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Here is one case of the many we have: Mr. Walter Whippo, of Water street. leading horse shoer of Bellefonte, says: "I have a good word to say for *Doan's* Kidney Pills. Last Spring, 1897, I was miserable with backache and a lameness across my loins, I know that it was from my kidneys, for I had suffered from it prior to that. Sometimes I could hardly straighten up after bending forward which greatly interfered with my work. I learned about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them at F. Potts Green's drug store, and began using them. I had taken other medicines and worn plasters but I never had anything act so promptly as Doan's Kidney Pills. I have been quite free from the whole trouble ever since."

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MATTERS RATHER QUIET!

Conditions are Normal at the War and Navy Building.

SUNDAY WAS A QUIET DAY

The Terms of the Surrender of Manila Were a Subject for Discussion Among the Officials—What the Best Informed Officials Think.

Gen. Otis Arrives at Manila in Safety

Washington, August 22.—Conditions about the great state, war and navy buildings practically have assumed their normal aspects. Only a few clerks were on duty in the several bureaus Saturday and they did only a few hours work.

Acting Secretary of the navy Allen said it had been the quietest day in his department since the destruction of the Maine. During the afternoon he received sixteen despatches fourteen of which related to the movements of vessels, arrivals or departures, the remaing two referring to matters of the merest detail. Not a word was received from Admiral Dewey during the day notwithstanding the fact that the cable communication with Manila had again been reopened.

Among the war officials the terms of the capitulation of Manila, as cabled Saturday by General Merritt was a topic of discussion. No light has been thrown upon the terms by General Merritt. He cabled the terms themselves, expecting probably to forward by mail the construction placed upon them by the American and Spanish officers at *Manila*.

Unofficial advices from Manila received previous to the arrival of the text of the terms indicated that the capitulation of the city included the surrender of the Philippines and that Spanish sovereignty over the entire archipelago was, temporarily at least at an end. This view is not sustained by the condition of the surrender as cabled by General Merritt and it may be said it is not the view taken by the best informed officials of the administration. While some of the war authorities Saturday night were yet inclined to the opinion that the articles of capitulation, necessarily temporary and naturally somewhat elastic in their phraseology, might be constructed to mean the surrender of Spanish control over the entire Philippine group, the prevalent opinion now is that they mean precisely what they say and that the surrender includes only the city of Manila and its immediate surroundings or "suburbs" as it is expressed in the articles.

It can be said authoritatively that the president is satisfied with the terms made by General *Merritt* and Admiral Dewey. Their instructions afforded them considerable latitude for individuality of action, the president feeling confident that they would secure the best possible terms under the circumstances. It is pointed out that the terms of the capitulation of Manila can have but little effect upon the action of the Paris commission in any event. The protocol as signed by the accredited representatives of the governments of the United States and Spain provides for the cession of the city, bay and harbor of Manila to the United States, and leaves to the peace commission to determine the disposition and government of the Philippine islands.

Whether, therefore, Spain is to retain her sovereignty over the islands is a question to be decided by the Paris commission. The action of the commission is circumscribed by the provisions of the protocol, while the terms of the capitulation of *Manila*, it is suggested, can have very little more serious effect upon the commission's work than those of the surrender at Santiago.

During Saturday few of the officials of the war department were at their desks for longer than an hour or two. A little routine business was transacted but the officials generally were taking a long needed rest. Early in the afternoon Adjutant General Corbin received the following dispatch from *General Merritt*:

Manila, August 21, 1898.

"Adjutant General, Washington D. C.

"Major General Otis, with the steamers Peru and City of Puebla, have arrived; all well, no casualties.

(Signed) MERRITT.

This was the second dispatch from General Merritt since the opening of cable communication with Manila The first received last night announcing simply that cable communication has been restored.

ON THE GREAT LAKES.

A Bellefonte Boys Graphic Description of the Unsalted Seas of Our Country.

Detroit, Aug. 21st. 1898.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:

Being fortunate enough to enjoy as commonplace that which many of my friends and neighbors have not been permitted to see I will attempt to describe to you the beauties of the unsalted seas of our country and Canada. Being employed as assistant steward on board the U. D. & S. Line steamer "Carmona" I have been permitted to observe the beauties of the Erie, Huron, Georgian Bay, Detroit River and Lake St. Clair.

Leaving Cleveland on *Monday* evening we pass a rough night crossing Lake Erie and awake to find ourselves quietly riding at anchor on Detroit river. To our starboard is Windsor, Canada; to our port, Detroit, Michigan, and the immense shipping of the lakes which is 1-6 of the entire world is seen to pass in every form of craft from cat boat to whale back; from fish boat to grain transports. Leaving via Detroit river and Lake St. Clair we traverse a most beautiful region until at Sarnia we are carried into Huron. We choose the north channel so that we pass a number of cool, snug little towns, some on gentle slopes from the lake, others on great bluffs nearly a hundred feet high, from which a view lakeward is to be had, when all is clothed in glorious summer drapery wooing the salubrious summer breezes which convey alike health and pleasure to the tired body and weary mind.

At Killarney (She-bon-on-ing) in the 10.000 Isles of Huron we can see the remnant of the "Olgibways" a once powerful tribe of Indians and here is also to be found the base of the greatest Blueberry business of the world. At Manitowaning is a "manitou" Indian mission and the work of its students is a sight for the eastern person to remember.

At Bruce mines we are permitted to see copper in the raw state as it is taken from mother earth. After thirty hours travel through rocks, islands and other forms of wild picturesque scenery we arrive at Sault St. Marie, commonly called the "Soo" Here are two canals, one American, another Canadian, through which passes 8 million tons of freight per month they being the largest in the world. Trout from 18 inches to 42 in. in length are found in "Soo" rapids.

Our return trip is a repetition of the up trip and when we arrive at Cleveland we have traversed 1200 miles under the Canadian and American flags jointly.

Yours,
ALBERT JACKSON.
Asst. steward on board "Carmona."

Tyrone's Great Flag.

Tyrone, Pa., Aug. 22.—The largest American flag ever made was floated Saturday afternoon from a cable stretched between two mountain peaks on either side of the Juniata river, in the most prominent position in the gap at the eastern entrance of Tyrone. The town was elaborately decorated. At 2 o'clock there was a parade the procession including six cornet bands, dozens of societies, *G.* A. R. posts and other organizations. Dr. C. M Ewing was chief marshal.

At the flag raising exercises A. A. Stevens was master of ceremonies. The program comprised addresses by Thomas H. Murray of Clearfield; Rev. C. D. Spangler of Sumerset, and W. L. Pascoe, of Tyrone; prayer by Rev. J. A. *Dunlap*, Ph. D., of Sinking valley; vocal music by Tyrone Choral union; music by Tyrone City band; benediction by Rev. A. Smothers.

An autograph letter was received from President McKinley, addressed to Chairman W. T. Henderson, of the executive committee expressing his inability to be present and saying:

"I cannot let the occasion pass without saying to you and your associates in this unique and inspiring undertaking of which you write that it is typical of the spirit of our people everywhere. Love of the flag is the natural result and accompaniment of a devotion to the principal of free government. Your festival will testify anew to our adherence to those principles, triumphant alike in war and peace."

The big flag is 60x100 feet in size. It required 1,000 square yards of bunting for its making. The cable supporting it is one half inch in thickness, and 3,200 feet long. It is stretched 538 feet above the surface of the Juniata river and about 1,500 feet above the sea level.

The executive committee was composed of W. T. Henderson, chairman, and Augustus Harr, secretary-treasurer, of the general committee; C. H. Traynor, Charles Igon, Dr. C. M. Ewing and James Cree.

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"I suffered for about five years with stomach and liver troubles and tried different remedies without much benefit. I had spells of vomiting which would last for a long time and I suffered severe pain. I could not eat or sleep. I was very weak and could hardly walk across the room. While suffering one of those terrible spells my husband urged me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Finally I consented and after taking the first bottle I was greatly benefited. I have now taken three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and am cured. I have not had any of those bad spells and can eat anything I wish." MRS. WESLEY FREDENBURG, Box 69, Catskill, N. Y.

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Organization of a Christian Science Church at Howard.

It is almost five years since Christain Science was introduced in this country by an ardent believer and worker for the cause of Christ truth by Miss Rebecca Parry of Scranton, Pa., who is a member of the First church of Christ Scientist of Boston commonly known as the Mother church. This church has a membership of over eleven thousand. The building is a magnificient one being built of granite at a cost of nearly a quarter million dollars. The cause is rapidly spreading the movement having over a million followers with over 300 organized churches. New York city has three churches, Philadelphia one, Washington D. C., one, Buffalo one; and recently churchs were dedicated in Canada and Chicago; the Chicago church at a cost of $107.000. Christian Science was little known of and in fact not heard of by the majority of people in this vicinity five years ago, but now there many who can testify of having been healed by the Christ truth, by the understanding of what truth is as per Jesus words "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." And to study the word in search of truth a number have for the past few years met each Sunday to study the scriptures in this new light and finally have fitted up a room in the residence of J. C. Bierley, West Main street as their place of worship. Having notified those who are friendly to the cause that the time had come when they would organize with invitations to join they met accordingly last Sunday and were organized into a church to be known as First church of Christ Scientist of Howard, Pa. This church will be considered as all the others a branch church of the Mother church. There are many inquiries as to Christian Science and its methods by those who have heard of its wonderfull healing. Those now desiring information can procure same by writing to secretary, First church of Christ Scientist, Howard, Pa. All service is public no one excluded but all are cordially invited to attend.

The army probably will be reduced to 100,000 men, and the other volunteer troops, aside from this number, will be mustered out soon as the department can conveniently do so.

JENKS WAS TOO GENERAL

His Bedford Speech of Acceptance Was a Chilling Disappointment.

NOT ONE WORD ABOUT QUAY.

Generally Received as the Over Cunning Utterance of a Shrewd Jury Lawyer, Who Realizes That the Facts Are Overwhelmingly Against Him, and So Indulges in Generalities Which Do Not Even Glitter, Let Alone Hurt—His Speech Analyzed.

(Special Correspondence.)

Philadelphia, Aug. 23. — Candidate George A. Jenks' speech at Bedford, accepting the Democratic nomination for governor, has decidedly fallen indistinctly flat.

As a keynote of an aggressive campaign, it is a note that has already gone to protest. Of course everybody knows that Republican defeat in Pennsylvania cannot be accomplished by Democratic votes. None but Republicans can defeat Republican candidates in this state, and a Democratic candidate, at the beginning of a hopeful candidacy, must somehow appeal to a certain element of the dominant party. This Pattison was cunning enough to do in 1882 and in 1890, and this Mr. Jenks, with all his skill and experience in pleading before a jury, has conspicuously failed to do in 1898.

The dissatisfied element among Republicans here, so far as it exists, which represents the disappointed ambitions of men to whom the very name of any successful Republican leader is as a red rag to a bull, hailed the speech with instant resentment, because it was simply a reiteration in general terms of old charges which had been threshed over and forgotten, and said nothing specific, and nothing personally offensive, against Senator Quay. While they were sore and disappointed, straight backed Republicans were pleased that even so skillful an advocate could make no better case against them. A prominent public man from the northwestern part of the state put the feeling very pointedly in the following words:

"I have read Mr. Jenks' speech of acceptance with much interest naturally. Even if it had no relation to the campaign, I should have been interested, because his reputation as an adroit and skillful lawyer, cunning before a jury in making the best possible plea in the face of adverse evidence, is celebrated wherever he is known. His Bedford speech is worthy of his reputation. It skillfully avoids specific statements. The word 'Democratic' does not appear in it at all, and the word 'Republican' only once, and to one who reads it without thinking the impression might be conveyed that both these parties had in some miraculous manner been swept beyond the borders of the state.

"The fatal weakness of his speech is not in the pleader, but in the case. He probably put it as shrewdly as anybody could. But when even the most cunning master of language is forced to appear as the hopeless spokesman of a party which has no record in public affairs to point to, and a record in national affairs which it is compelled to point away from, he is at a great disadvantage.

"The gist of Mr. Jenks' speech is the special plea that it is quite consistent for anybody to vote for him and his associate Democratic candidates upon the state ticket and at the same time to vote for Republicans for congress. If this were so it would include, of course, in the list of candidates eligible for Democratic votes the two Republican candidates for congressmen at large and the Republican state senators and members of the legislature, who will elect a United States senator.

"It would be absurd to vote one way for members of the one branch of congress and vote the opposite way for members of the other, especially when the United States senate is as cl se as it is now.

"This theory, that the record and purposes of the Republican and Democratic parties can be conveniently hung up behind the door, the meaning of the vote this year forgotten, and the campaign narrowed down to a promiscuous guerrilla conflict, will not, I think, commend itself to the Democratic party any more than to the Republicans. It would mean disaster to any organization. One cannot follow one flag on one wing of the battle and carry a hostile banner on the other, any more than he can serve in the American army and the Spanish navy at the same time. The line must be kept consistent and intact. The man who attempts to ride two horses going in opposite directions will go nowhere but to fall, and he who tries to belong to two churches of different creeds will probably lose his standing in both. It is before all things the party creeds which are at issue in this campaign. Aside from their personal friends, the greater part of the people of Pennsylvania do not much care which of them, Mr. Jenks or Colonel Stone, is elected governor, so far as either of them is individually concerned. But the people of Pennsylvania are deeply interested and determined, if we can judge the present by the past, to see to it that the principles and purposes of the Republican party shall not be repudiated and set aside to give place to those which Mr. Jenks' candidacy undeniably represents before the state and the country, however cunningly he may seek to disguise the fact. Like a good lawyer, he has made the best of a bad case, but the jury in this trial has time to think before the verdict, and I have no notion that it will be misled."

There are few men in Pennsylvania better known than Jerome B. Niles, of Tioga, ex-auditor general of the state. He is recognized as one of the strongest men in the northern tier, and his long and distinguished connection with public affairs makes his utterances always timely and valuable. While not referring directly to the speech of the Democratic candidate, what he said yesterday was evidently inspired by it. Mr. Niles said:

"Our Democratic friends cannot shirk the national issues in which our present and future welfare are so vitally concerned. The voters of this most intelligent state will not, by them, be deceived. In 1896 they went before the country contending for the free and unlimited coinage of silver and pleading for a tariff for revenue only. They are, in this state, seemingly anxious to abandon their position taken in the last campaign. They do not like to have anything said about free silver or about free trade. The marvelous and mysterious connection which they had discovered between wheat and silver disappeared immediately after the election of Mr. McKinley. In thousands of speeches they cried out that we would ruin the American farmer by insisting upon a currency founded upon a gold basis. They insisted that when silver went down in the scale of values that wheat went with it. That upon the financial question they were a sort of Siamese twins. And yet, in this, as in all things else, they have been mistaken. As soon as it was ascertained that our currency was to be continued on a solid basis, wheat began to go up and silver kept on going down. The mysterious connection was broken. There have been times since 1896 when it would have taken enough silver bullion to make three silver dollars to buy one bushel of wheat.

"The Republican party has been in this state on the right side of all the great public questions of the last four decades. Where are the public measures that our Democratic friends have originated? They canot be found. In this state, at least, the Democratic party has even been like the hind wheels of a wagon, crawling along in the rear, keeping just so far behind; always using as a camping ground the place occupied by the Republicans in the years that are gone, always keeping just far enough from the front to be of no service in the settlement of public questions.

"We judge men, and we should judge political parties, by what they have done and not by what they promise to do. You form your opinion as to the future conduct of your neighbor by an examination of his past life. Political parties are composed of individuals, and what is true of the individual person is true of all political parties, be they either great or small. There is no allegation against either of the candidates personally that head the respective state tickets. They are both worthy citizens. Each represents the traditions and the principles of his party. And the success of the individual candidate will be the triumph of the party whose representative for the present he is.

"Colonel William A. Stone represents the Republican party, with its glorious and illuminated history of the past third of a century. He represents a party that stands pledged to a financial policy that will for all time give us a currency which shall be as unchangeable as the hills and which shall be good as gold in any land upon which the sun in heaven shines in makinfl his daily round. Colonel Stone represents a party that stands pledged to the maintenance of our present protective system, which affords fair and ample relief to America industry; which raises a sufficient revenue to meet all the demands of the people; which is at all times able to protect the gold reserve in the national treasury and which does not compel the government to sell its bonds by the hundred millions to pay our running expenses in times of profound peace and general prosperity.

"Mr. Jenks and his ticket, so far as this state is concerned, do not represent anything. His party has not originated a single measure for the benefit of the people. It has contented itself in opposing Republican measures, and generally without success. From a national standpoint Mr. Jenks represents a tariff for revenue only and the free and unlimited coinage of 45-cent dollars. No Democratic orator, during the pending canvass, will deliver a speech advocating either. They dare not here and now urge the principles of the Chicago platform. If they would meet these issues fairly and squarely on the stump and advocate the same doctrines that they put forth at Chicago in 1896, the majority for Colonel Stone would be 300,000.

"In political parties all cannot, at all times, have that to which they feel they are entitled. There always has been; there always will be heart burnings and bitter personal disappointments. Republicans should stand by our most excellent state ticket from the top to the bottom. There has been, there will be no allegation against the personal fitness of a single one from the head to the foot of the list. They are all good men and true. We know of their antecedents. It is vastly important that we should have a delegation in congress as nearly our way as possible. A delegation that will at all times stand by the financial and revenue measures to which our party has been so long committed.

"We all understand, if such a thing were possible, what the election of the Democratic ticket in November would stand for. It would be said from the busy Atlantic coast to the golden shores of the Pacific; from our northern lakes to the land of the orange and the magnolia, that the strongest protective state in the republic had repudiated its own idea, and that in matters of finance its people preferred the theories of William J. Bryan to the facts, logic and sound principles of William McKinley, who today is the most respected, the most honored and beloved citizen of the republic."

GEORGE H. WELSHONS.

Biliousness

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ANNEXATION SENTIMENT.

Rapidly Gaining Ground Among All Classes Throughout Cuba.

INSURGENT OUTRAGES REPORTED

The Story Stoughtly Denied by a Mayor and One Newspaper and Affirmed by Another—Provisions High in Havana.

Havana, via Key West, August 23. —The civil governor of Havana has received a telegram from the mayor of Neuva Paz, stating that the Diario De Ka Marina had published a letter from a correspondent in which it was asserted that the insurgents had committed outrages of various kinds. This the mayor declared to be absolutely false. La Lucha will publish a denial of the report. The Diario De La Marina sent a special correspondent to investigate the matter and he confirms the story of the outrages and reports many crimes committed by the insurgents.

The American steamer Wanderer arrived at Cayo, France, on the afternoon of the 18th, inst., having on board Lieutenant O'Hern, of the Twenty fifth infantry, and Lieutenant Madden, with fifteen soldiers. The Wanderer not having obtained permission from the military or costom authority at Havana to disembark her passengers at Cayo France, proceeded to Neuvitas, where it is understood she will discharge a part of her cargo and land Senor Mendez Capote, vice president of the Cuban republic. It is reported that she will then return to Cayo France to embark a company of cavalry under Lieutenant Johnson.

The steamer Cosme Herrera sailed on Friday to Vera Cruz with a crew for the steamer Maria Herrera, which has been detained at Vera Cruz since the beginning of the war. Seven coal laden schooners have arrived here from Sagua La Grande. The steamer Maria Crista has arrived from Cienfuegos with 450 passengers en route for Spain. The steamer Moran has arrived from Key West with five passengers. The situation at Havana remains the same as during the blockade. Provisions and other necessaries of life are very scarce and prices continue high. The colonial government imposed the highest customs duties which continue in force, making prices high and rendering the situation of the poor very painful. The free kitchens which have been established in Havana daily furnish about 30,000 persons with food; but owing to the great number of poor in the city who are without food of any sort the amount of supplies handled by these kitchens is quite insufficient to relieve the distress to any great extent. Women and children lie about the streets pale and emanciated and looking more like corpses than living beings.

When you are suffering from Catarrh or Cold in the head you want relief right away. Only 10 cents is required to test it. Ask your druggist for a trial size of Ely's Cream Balm, or buy the 50c size. We mail it.

ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y.

I was afflicted with catarrh last autumn. During the month of October I could neither taste nor smel and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus Geo. Shautz, Rahway, N. J.

Were in the Station.

Burglars broke into the Bald Eagle valley railroad station at Mill Hall some time Friday night and attempted to break open the safe. They succeeded in knocking off one of the knobs, but did not get the door open. The safe outside was badly scarred. The men effected an entrance by prying open the shutter and window in the rear end of the building. They used a crow bar taken from the Beech Creek railroad tool house for the purpose. No money or tickets were stolen.

TAMMANY'S suggestion to nominate Dewey for President in 1900 indicates that the old tiger sees something in the war records that beats Col. Bryan's at any rate.

Harvest home sermons are next in order.

PEACE AND PROSPERITY.

(Continued from first page.)

For Cuba—Maj.-Gen. Gonzales Parrado, Rear Admiral Pastor y Landero, Marquis Montore.

For Porto Rico—Maj.-Gen. Ortega y Diaz, Commodore of First Rank Vallarino y Carrasco, Judge Advocate Sanchez del Aguila y Leon.

The foregoing official list differs from some of the lists given in press dispatches, which have included Admiral Montijo, Gen. Macias, Gen. Blanco and several other prominent Spanish officers. Considerable significance attaches to the naming of Marquis Montore on the Cuban commission, as it indicates a purpose on the part of Spain to get into the future government of Cuba. He is the only commissioner, Spanish or American, taken from civil life. He is secretary of the treasury of the Cuban autonomous cabinet, and all his interests are connected with the government of Cuba, rather than with the military question of the Spanish evacuation of Cuba.

He is named, it is believed, in order to carry out Spain's desire to have an understanding as to the future government of the island, he being intimately familiar with the questions of the civil administration of Cuba. As secretary of the Cuban treasury, he is also familiar with questions effecting the Cuban debt.

State department officials give no intimation as to when the members of the peace commission will be announced, or as to its personnel, the understanding being that the president himself is giving his personal attention to the selection. The same is true as to the succession to Ambassador Hay of London. As to the latter, it is understood that no final choice has been made.

In view of the early meeting at Paris of the Spanish-American peace commissioners, arrangements are already under way for the entertainment of this distinguished body. It is understood that the commission will be the guest of the French government, and while no formal invitation has yet been extended there is reason to believe one will come in due time, and that the commissioners will receive every courtesy and attention which the French government can bestow.

The meetings of the commission will be held at the French foreign office, in the sumptuous and historic Salon Des Ambassadors. It was there that the famous congress of Paris met in 1856. The salon is probably the most elegant official apartment in all Europe, being hung with Gobelin tapestries and decorated with lavish frescoes and works of art. Near the salon are private chambers, suitable for committee rooms and for the meetings of the commissioners of the respective governments.

HONG KONG, August, 22.—Officers of the steamer China, from Manila, which has arrived here, report that it was evident that the resistance of the Spaniards when Manila was attacked by the Americans was merely nominal, and was made solely to maintain the honor of Spain. The officers talked with express the belief that the escape of Gov.-Gen. Augustin was prearranged and well understood by Admiral Dewey.

A dispatch from Manila, dated August 18, says the total number of killed on the American side during the attack upon and capture of Manila was 46 and of the wounded about 100. The Spanish losses were 200 killed and 400 wounded. The fire of the Americans did practically no damage to the town or to the noncombatants.

The Americans had considerable difficulty in keeping the insurgents out of the city, only admitting those who were without weapons. Five insurgents were shot while looking at Tondo. An insurgent officer became involved in a quarrel with a Spaniard in the Escolta, in the Binondo suburb, during which the Spaniard fired upon the insurgent, inflicting wounds in the latter's legs. The Spaniard was arrested and imprisoned.

Gen. Merritt has issued a proclamation decreeing that the provisional government and the local authorities shall retain their offices and that everything shall remain unchanged for the present, except so far as the supreme jurisdiction is concerned. The proclamation further declares that any native who resists the present authorities shall be treated as a law breaker.

Gen. Jaudenes, in the course of an interview had with him by the representative of the Associated Press, said he knew the fight was a hopeless one, but that he intended to resist the Americans in the name of honor, but was persuaded to surrender for the sake of the non-combatants. He eulogized the Americans for the humanity they have shown.

The last official act of Gen. Jaudenes was to fine a Journalist for speaking the truth. The journalist requested the correspondent to state that he had loyally done his best for the country. He had thrice been punished, had fought bravely as a volunteer, had been captured and released, and, further, was ready to fight again, but was "utterly disgusted with a government and a nation which tolerates and welcomes the Americans."

Serious trouble is threatened by the insurgents because they were prevented from having their own way. They assert that they are able to render the islands untenable for anybody.

The cable line between Hong Kong and Manila is now being operated.

MANILA, Aug. 22.—The American transports Peru and Pueblo having on board Gen. Otis and Gen. Hughes, arrived here at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. There was no serious illness on board either of the vessels.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—Adjt. Gen. Corbin yesterday received the following from Gen. Merritt, dated Manila, August 21:

"Maj.-Gen. Otis, with steamers Peru and City of Pueblo, has arrived; all well; no casualties."

CHAPLAIN RICK DEAD.

The Minister of the Twelfth Regiment Expires.

Rev. William F. Rick, chaplain of the Twelfth Pennsylvania Volunteers died at Williamsport Sunday, aged 30 years. Typhoid fever was the cause of death. Chaplain Rick contracted the disease at Camp Alger, where he overworked himself in alleviating the wants of the sick soldiers of his regiment, who suffered so severely from the ravages of the fever. He returned from camp about a week ago, and despite the efforts of his physicians, he steadily grew worse. His death is the eleventh that has occurred in the Twelfth regiment.

Rev. Mr. Rick was pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran church at Williamsport, and was very popular among his parishioners. When the soldiers responded to the call of President McKinley at the beginning of the war, Chaplain Rick marched to the station at the head of the local battillion of the Twelfth. He was born at Utica, N. Y. He graduated from Thiel college and the University of Pennsylvania.

AXE MANN ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Swartz are attending camp meeting at Rebersburg this week.

William Steele, of Philipsburg is visiting his father Perry Steele of this place at present.

Miss Jennie Weaver of State College spent last week with her sister Mrs. Harry Harter.

Miss Lottie White a pleasant young lady of Milesburg is visiting with her uncle Newton Steele.

Mr. Patrick Scanlon who has been very ill is much better at this writing.

Miss Edith Burris of Lemont, visited over Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes and children, of Altoona spent several days last week at Mrs. Barnes home at this place.

Miss McClellathan of Osceola is visiting her friend Miss Mary Rote.

Quite a number of young folks of this place attended the business men's picnic at Hecla Park last Thursday.

Mrs. Bowmaster who has been seriously ill the last two weeks is somewhat better at this writing.

Whirled to his Death.

At Picture Rocks, Lycoming county, Thursday, George Persun, aged 14, was killed by being caught in the line shafting and hurled around in the planing mill of Fry Brothers. When the machinery was stopped the boy was dead. His body was badly mangled.

ELY'S CREAM BALM is a positive cure. Apply into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City.

COURT PROCLAMATION—SPECIAL TERM. Whereas the Hon. John G. Love, president judge of the court of common pleas of the 49th district, consisting of the county of Centre, having issued his precept bearing date the 12th day of August, 1898 and to me directed, for holding a special term of court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery, Orphans Court and Quarter Session of the Peace, in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre and to commence on the Fourth Monday of September next, being the 26th day of September, 1898, notice is hereby given that all persons summoned as jurors are hereby notified to attend.

Given under my hand at Bellefonte the 12th day of August in the year of our Lord 1898, and the one hundred and twenty-second year of the independence of the United States.

W. M. CRONISTER, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, August 12th, 1898.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—Letters of administration on the estate of John Reese, late of Spring twp., having been granted to the undersigned he requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN F. WALKER, Administrator. Bellefonte Pa.

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Bellefonte Markets

Corrected weekly by Gerberich, Hale & Co. The following quotations are taken at m., on Wednesday of each week

PER BUSHEL		PER TON	
Wheat, new	65c	Ground Plaster	$8.00
Red Wheat	65c	PER BUSHEL	
Rye	40c	Buckwheat	70c
Corn, shelled	40c	Cloverseed	
Corn, ears	40c	Crimson Clover	
Oats, old	30c	Seed	$3.00
Oats, new	30		

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.

PER POUND		PER BUSHEL	
Lard	07c	Potatoes	40
Country Shoulders	06c	Onions	50
Country Sides	06c	PER DOZEN	
Country Hams	09	Eggs	10c
Tallow	03c		
Butter	18c		

SIX DROWNED !

Fatal Results of a Cloudburst Friday Morning.

AND THE EARTH CAVED IN

The People Went Down With it and Before Help Could be Extended to Them the Waters Closed Over Their Bodies.

OTHERS MAY HAVE BEEN LOST

PITTSBURG, Pa., August 20.—A cloudburst at Bridgeville, five miles southwest of here, about 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning, caused Saw Mill Run to overflow, doing great damage in the West End. Five people who were standing on an embankment when it gave way are known to have been drowned and others are missing. Their names are: Regis Loftus, Mrs. K. Loftus, Mrs. O'Shaughensy, unknown child, unknown man. The accident occurred near the foot of Main street, in the West End, where a vast crowd had congregated to watch the rapid increasing size and fury of Saw Mill Run. A few minutes before there had been a terrific cloudburst at Bridgeville. Nine people are known to have been standing on that portion of the bank which give way. Among those known to have been there were Mrs. K. Loftus and her three children, Regi, Irene and Bergie, another woman and two men.

As the water washed away the earth beneath the bank it suddenly collapsed and all upon it were precipitated into the stream. Frightful yells and screams filled the air as the men, women and children rose to the surface and struggled in vain with the torrent that carried them down toward the river. As soon as the extent of the disaster was realized many people put out with skiffs and rescued one child and also picked up a man who was more dead than alive. Skiffs are now watching the river closely to pick up the other bodies.

The five children supposed to have been drowned are: Irene Loftus, Regie Loftus, Genevieve Shaughensy, Margaret Shaughensy, Nellie Sauls, and Anna *Holhzapfel*.

Mrs. John Loftus, mother of the two children first named, and two men, were the adults in danger. The woman made a heroic effort to save her children, but to no purpose.

Near the mouth of the run and the sand dredge Pittsburg was moored, and when the men in it saw the wreckage coming down the stream and the people struggling for life, they stopped all else and went to the rescue. The men and the woman were carried out into the Ohio river, but were saved by the sand diggers. The woman excited the admiration of all who saw the catastrophe. She was almost overwhelmed a number of times, but each time fought off the debris and came to the surface. The great body of water did much damage. Parties of men are searching for the bodies of the children. There was a heavy and continuous downpour of rain throughout western Pennsylvania from midnight until 8 o'clock yesterday morning and considerable damage was done by washouts and the overflowing of small streams, but as far as known there were no other casualties.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Barn Saved by a Boy.

On Wednesday the barn on the Hollenbach farm in Bald Eagle Valley was struck by lightning. The bolt ran down the end of the barn and partly destroyed the stone foundation wall. Farmer Samuel Knights and his son, who were sitting on the porch of the farm house, were knocked from their chairs and badly stunned. A boy of 9 years of age was in the barn gathering eggs when it was struck but was not stunned.

He saw a fire which the lightning started in the straw not far from where he was.

With his hat he put out the fire and saved the barn from destruction. The force of the lightning stroke threw stones from the foundation walls in all directions No other part of the barn was damaged.

BIRTHPLACE OF THE FLAG.

The following happy tribute to the American flag, is the conclusion of an address delivered by Governor Hastings in Philadelphia:

"If yonder flag, hanging in graceful folds, could find voice and expression, it might say to the world: "I had my birth in Philadelphia; my stripes of red and white and field of blue and 13 stars were first kissed by Pennsylvania's sunlight; I was first to reach the top of your tower on Independence hall; I was first to point out from whence came the music of your Liberty bell; I led the vanguard of the Continental army from Valley Forge to Yorktown; I festooned the capitols of every state until, instead of 13, I displayed five and forty stars; I first blushed in protest against slavery in my native Keystone state; the lillies of France floating over Fort Duquesne were lowered to the lion of St. George floating over Fort Pitt, but both gave way to me when the wind from the free Alleghenies unfurled my colors above the waters of the Ohio at the town of Pittsburg.

"I led your conquering armies from Vera Cruz to the City of Mexico; I was trailed in the dust, but rose again, to feel the loyal grasp of Lincoln and Grant, and to give inspiration to the millions of men and women who loved the country and the cause for which I stood, and today I float in peace and in glory over every capital in this broad land. I stand for liberty, for the noblest ambition of humanity, for peace throughout the world, and for the dignity and honor and protection of all who love liberty and equality, and who claim the sheltering protection which I have always given.'"

Trustful Aguinaldo.

If anyone in Hong Kong doubts the strength of the rebel movement he should go within the lines nearly every day for a week as I do and the facts of the case would soon be demonstrated beyond question or quibble. Aguinaldo has more ablebodied volunteers than can be needed. They come from all over Luzon and from every section that is within a few days' journey by land or water from the insurgents' headquarters. Today I saw 500 men from Bataangas and yesterday 200 from Balucan that had come freely and wanted arms that they might go into the field. A rich man in Pampangas has sent in great quantities of rice. Another in Cavite supplies cattle, still another brings the actual cash, and $5.000 arrived to-day from men living in Bataan. At first they would not accept any receipt, but Aguinaldo, who is apparently trying to do things in a business way, insisted in giving them, and saying that when the war was over the amount would be paid back. These are passing incidents that indicate earnestness on the part of the people.

I asked General Aguinaldo the other day what he expected and what he hoped would happen when the war was over and did he anticipate the establishment of an independent Philippine republic. He hesitated in his usual reticent manner, and then said: "It would be very indiscreet for me to express my hopes of the future before the war is over when matters are so unsettled as now, but I will say that we Filipinos have the greatest confidence in the fairness of the United States. We trust the American people, and we know that if they are at the back of us we will be able to obtain and hold our full rights and be respected by all the great powers of Europe. The Americans have righted wrong in Cuba, and they will in the Philippines."

The general has fully 6,000 well-armed men in the field which he is massing as fast as possible around Manila, bringing them from the lesser places as the latter are captured. Had he the arms to equip them he could send a force into Manila that would seize the place like a swarm of bees covering a piece of honey.—Manila Correspondence of the North China Herald.

California Democrats Fuse.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., August 19.—The democratic state convention Friday received the report of the committee on fusion. It recited that the people's party and silver republicans were in accord with the programme of fusion and would support the democratic ticket if it should proceed along the lines mapped out. It urged the adoption of the fusion plan and the matter was put to vote without debate. Fusion carried with less than a dozen votes against it. Congressman James G. MaGuire was then nominated for governor by a rising vote.

GROWING BRIGHTER!

Clouds Are Disappearing from the Business Sky.

THE REMARKABLE EXPANSION

There Is Also a General Advance in the Minor Metals—Shipments of Boots and Shoes the Largest Ever Known.

CONDITION OF VARIOUS CEREALS

NEW YORK, August 20.—R. G. Dun & Co. in their Weekly Review of Trade will say:

A war which brought no shrinkage of business while it lasted has brought with its ending a quite remarkable expansion. Orders and purchases have increased in nearly all branches, few as yet being of such nature that they can be attributed to the material enlargement of trade with the lately acquired Spanish islands which must come a little later.

It is odd that the iron industry, while reporting decline in products, shows more surprising gain in business than any other. Both returns of output August 1 show considerable decrease from July 1, but more than the entire decrease is caused by the stoppage of two Shenango and four Mahoning furnaces under agreement to force higher prices for Bessemer pig. In all other states the showing of output is increased, excepting for one furnace in Virginia. The demand for finished products expands remarkably, considering the enormous orders prior to July, which crowd some of the biggest works until December. Structural orders include many bridges and the drainage canal contract for 4,000 tons at Chicago. Plates and bars are in stronger demand. Nails have advanced five cents and beams and angles as much and bars ten cents at Pittsburg. Tin plate works which require 40,000 tons per month have been buying 150,000 tons, bars and steel works there have bought 125,000 tons pig, raising the price to $10.40. Grey Forge also advances and eastern anthracite and southern pig at Chicago, have advanced twenty-five cents. There is a general advance in the minor metals.

Shipments of boots and shoes in three weeks of August are the largest ever know,

Wheat has further declined two cents in spite of general holding of better grades by farmers which renders receipts low and visible supply small beyond precedent. At 76 cents now, Atlantic exports for the week have been 3,059,330 bushels, flour included, against 3,705,287 last year, and Pacific exports 175,400 against 384,485 last year. Corn exports are gradually declining and prices are two cents lower.

Failures for the week have been 154 in the United States against 223 last year.

NEW YORK, August 20.—Bradstreet's to-day will say: Perhaps the most interesting feature of the general business situation at present is the confidence with which the merchantile community awaits the approach of the fall trade period. While of course, based in some degree on favorable results already achieved in many lines, it is unquestionably true that the flattering crop outlook at home and the return of peace, with the expectation of benefits to our export trade naturally expected to accrue therefrom, make up for much of the feeling thus expressed.

The immense business doing in iron and steel products at advanced prices, calls attention to the proportionately less notable expansion of crude iron production. Pig iron statistics, in fact, point to an even smaller output for the current month, some of which curtailment, of course, is naturally based upon midsummer conditions, Advances in many grades of iron, notably Bessemer and southern pig, are features of the week, as are also higher quotations for steel billets at nearly all markets, wire rods and a great many classes of finished iron and steel, particularly structural material. Advances in copper on the strong statistical position and lead are also among interesting features in the metal trades. At the west iron and steel are particularly active and the large number of orders already booked make manufacturers fairly independent regarding prices and favor an advance on future business.

Union Golden Wedding Celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Hartel, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rader, and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Rosenhoover, all of the German settlement in Cooper township, Clearfield county, held reunion celebration of their golden wedding on Aug. 23. This month, 50 years ago, they were married. They were all originally from Bellefonte. They went to Cooper township, bought 300 acres of timberland, cut the timber, cleared the land of stumps, and then went to farming, their farms adjoining. No better kept farms are to be seen in that section, and no persons are more respected. Each have eight children, and a great number of grandchildren. The event brought together many relatives, and was attended by friends for miles around. The gentlemen named assisted in erecting the first Catholic church in Clearfield county,

Views of Bellefonte.

There is a beautiful display in a most conspicuous place on the *Main* street of Cape May City, consisting of 23 views of Bellefonte and vicinity. They were placed there by Prof. James P. Hughes to advertise Bellefonte and the Academy and were taken by the Camera club. They are very much admired by hundreds daily. The Cape May Daily Star refers to it in the following clipping.

When we consider the beauty of the country in Central Pennsylvania as displayed in the large collection of photographs in the window of *Mr* Corwell's bicycle store, we are not surprised that so many Cape May boys attend the Bellefonte Academy located in that section. Every year the number of boy from this place in attendance at that school increases because of the enthusiastic reports brought back from Bellefonte by the students of each preceding year, and Cape May is not the loser by it, either, inasmuch as the large attendance of Cape May boys is a constant advertisement for this famous resort which results in attracting annually to our hotels a large patronage of Bellefonte.

A large number of boarders will attend the Academy this year, double the number of last year. There is a bright future ahead of the Academy. The business men could well afford to spend a thousand dollars to fit up a dozen or more rooms for boys. It means money to the town. The Academy will have another crack foot ball team this fall.

Fatal Accident at Heptasoph Picnic.

New Castle, Pa., August 19.—Last evening when the Heptasoph picnickers were returning from Cascade park one man, Cooney Hitchue of McKeesport, Pa., was killed and several injured in a trolley car wreck. There were about 10,000 people in attendance at the picnic and on the return trip the New Castle Traction trolley cars were crowded with passengers. As the train was rounding the curve the trailer jumped the track in front of a train going the opposite direction. Hitchue was horribly crushed. Among those injured are: James H. Wyant and 2 year old son, of McKeesport, are badly cut and bruised but will recover.

Grant Lodge K. of P.

LEBANON, Pa., August 19.—At yesterday's session of the state grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, the grand trustees were directed to sell the grand lodge headquarters at 1020 Race street, Philadelphia, and to secure larger headquarters. It was decided to destroy all the documents now stored at the headquarters. Retiring Grand Chancellor Linde was presented with the past grand chancellor's jewel. It was resolved that the grand chancellor shall appoint a comittee of five to canvass Philadelphia lodges in the interest of the Philadelphia Knights of Pythias Greenwood cemetery. It was announced that the Pennsylvania domain leads the list of subscriptions for the Rathbone monument with a subscription of $1,175. A resolution was passed instructing the representatives to the supreme circle to bring before that body the question of grand lodges having the priviledge to fix their initiation fee. Resolutions creating a fund for the aid of aged mothers was tabled after a heated discussion. The remainder of the session was taken up in the consideration of the code of laws as revised by the committee on revision of laws.

California olives have almost driven the foreign product out of the market.

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New and Dangerous Malady.

Another bicycle disease! It is called "locomotor hysteria," and is thus discribed by the "Medical Press;" "The onset of this disease is insidious, but unless immediately taken in hand it progresses with positively frightful rapidity." A bicycle policeman would describe the infliction as simply a desire to scorch.—New York Sun.

New York and Washington Ladies

In delicate condition derive great benefit from Speer's Wine. Also excelent for the aged and infirm convalescents.

A Relic of the Rebellion.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Marshall, of this place, have a relic of the rebellion which they fondly cherish. It is an army hard tack which was sent home to them from the war by *Mrs.* Marshall's brother, Ephriam W. Klinger, a corporal in Co. H, 148th Pennsylvania Volunteers, the company which went from here and of which George A. Bayard was captain. It was in the year 1862 that it was sent home, just thirty-six years ago and is in as good condition as when received. Klinger soon afterwards was captured by the rebels and died in Andersonville prison.

BROTHER MCKINLEY is timing it so that when Johnny comes marching home it will be pretty close to pumpkin pie and buckwheat season, and the emancipated volunteer will remember the hardtack not a minute, with a little clover honey and apple dumplings on the side.

Foster's Weather Forecast.

The next disturbance of August will reach the Pacific coast about the 21st, cross the west of Rockies country by the 22d, the great central valleys 23d to 25th, and the eastern states 27th.

Warm wave will cross the west of Rocky country about the 21st, great central valleys 23d, and the eastern states 25th. Cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about the 24th, great central valleys 25th, and the eastern states 28th.

Temperature of the week ending August 27 will average below normal east of the Mississippi and above west. For the same week rainfall will be below in the northern and above in the southern states.

Lancaster Tobacco Ruined.

A dispatch from Lancaster says that a series of terrific electrical storms accompanied by high winds and heavy rain passed over that county Wednesday night, doing great damage. Hail in some sections cut and riddled the tobacco, most of which was almost ready to cut, ruining the crop. Several barns were struck by lightning and burned.

A Vail Station Man Murdered.

LEWISTOWN, Pa., August 19.—Harry Dougherty, of Vail Station, near Tyrone, was stabbed yesterday at Belleville, this county, and died in a few minutes. Joseph Morrison, a young farmer, of near Lewistown, was brought to jail charged with the crime. It is said the stabbing was the outcome of a game of coin pitching.

See a lot of women in another column treading grapes at Do Sexio Portugal, for wine. Read all about it and about Speer's N. J., method and what it is particularly good for.

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—James E. Solt of this place has invented a bicycle pedal attachment and is desirous of having the aid of some party having capital to invest to assist him secure a patent. The cost of manufacturing the weights which are very simple, will be about ten cents a pair. Parties having money will do well to consult Mr. Solt and at the same time help a deserving citizen.

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Rain Spoils the Sport of Thousands of Picnicers.

INTERESTING SPORTING EVENTS

The Third Annual Picnic of Centre and Clinton County Business Men at Hecla Thursday—Four Thousand People Were Carried to the Park on the Trains and Two Thousand in Carriages and Bicycles.

A WET BUT GOOD NATURED CROWD

The third annual picnic of the Business Men of Centre and Clinton counties was held at Hecla Park Thursday, and had it not been for the threatening weather the crowd would have been the greatest ever seen at this popular pleasure park. Great preparations had been made by the business men of the two counties but the rain put a dampner on an otherwise successful affair. As it was probably six thousand people were present.

A drizzling rain spoiled the morning's enjoyment but from 12 until 5 o'clock it was delightful. At 5 o'clock rain began falling again, and by 6 it had turned into a down-pour, and at 7 it was raining pitch forks, and the display of fireworks was given up. The early trains for home were crowded. The railroad company deserves the greatest credit for the way they handled the immense crowds, and not an accident was reported,

The jubilee meeting was held in the dancing pavillion instead of the grand stand, owing to the inclemency of the weather. Those who were able to get near enough heard some very entertaining talks by three of those advertised to speak. H. T. Harvey, Esq., of Lock Haven, spoke on the "Victories of the American Navy." Hon. A. O. Furst's talk was on "Our Financial Victory," and Hon. S. R. Peale, of Lock Haven, concluded the exercises with his talk on "The Future of Our New Possessions."

Owing to the rain the meeting of the business men was postponed to meet again at the call of the president.

The swimming races took place at 1 o'clock and Bellefonte boys were the winners. Harry Peters took first prize of $3 00; Ben Schrock second, $2 00; Harry Rodgers third, $1 00.

The tub races were won by Harry Peters first prize, $3 00; Walter Tobias, of Mackeyville, second, $2 00; Sammy Rice, Bellefonte, third, $1 00.

The Centre county marksmen carried off the honors in the pigeon shooting contest, though the scores on both sides were rather poor. The following tabulated score shows the number of birds killed by each man. Centre county's total was 26 out of a possible 54, while the Clinton countians killed 23:

CLINTON COUNTY.

Barton Pardee	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	—4
J. C. Merrill	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	—2
Chas. Kiger	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—3
H. A. Stevenson	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	—5
P. C. Carskadden	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	—4
McClellan	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	—5

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CENTRE COUNTY.

Geo. Naugle	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—3
W. R. Haynes	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	—7
Geo. B. Uzzle	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	—4
John Trafford	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	—3
Chas. Heisler	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	—4
Geo. Gross	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	—5

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The bicycle races were considerably delayed by the slow work of the trap shooters but were soon put off when once started with the following results:

Novice race—Won by Charles Larimer, Bellefonte, time 3.04; second, Ellis Hall, Bellefonte. No third.

Two mile open—First, Williard Moore, Williamsport; second, Pete Gstalder, Williamsport; third, Joe Gessner, Bellefonte, time 5.08 1-5. This was a beautiful race and Gessner gave the leaders a big hustle.

One mile open for Centre and Clinton county riders only—First, John Teats, Bellefonte; second, Joe Gessner, Bellefonte; third, Bruce Barnhart, Bellefonte; time 2.45. This race was close and exciting and Teats deserves great praise for defeating Gessner, one of the fastest riders in Central Pennsylvania.

The times were all very good considering the heavy track owing to the rain and the washed ends of the track. Referee George T. Bush deserves great credit for the speed and correct handling of the races, all being run off in 20 minutes.

For the first time at Hecla Park regular English racing dogs were seen, and it was very interesting to see the excited greyhounds strain every nerve to beat one another over the 200 yard course.

The dogs were started with a pistol and never looked to right or left, but made straight for their masters, who were frantically waving flags and urging them to the finish line.

The races were managed by Mr. Thomas Morgan, of Philipsburg, whose dogs, Jack, Monkey and Fly, carried off all the money, which aggregated $40.

The first heat was won by Morgan's "Jack"; the second by Morgan's "Fly"; the third by Morgan's "Monkey"; the fourth by Ashcroft's "Rice"; the fifth by Morgan's "Bessie." In the final Morgan's three dogs took first, second and third as follows: "Jack," "Monkey" and "Fly."

The ball game between the players of Clinton and Centre counties proved far more exciting than anyone anticipated. Eleven hard innings were fought between the rival teams and half of the twelfth inning had been about finished when Pitcher Robinson could control his ball no longer and three times in succession threw it clear out of the park.

The score was 5 to 5 up to the end of the eleventh inning and Clinton county made four runs in their half of the twelfth when a thunder storm came up and it grew so dark that it was utterly impossible to play longer and the Centre county team stopped. The home umpire called the game back to the end of the eleventh inning, but the Clinton umpire insisted on playing it out and gave the Centre boys five minutes to continue playing. They did not do it, so the Clinton umpire gave the game to Lock Haven by the score of 9 to 0.

The players and batting order were as follows:

Clinton county—Brungard 3, J. Shaffer 1, C. Shaffer p, Smull m, Dillon r, Strayer 1, Oberheim ss, Donovan c, Waddle 2.

Centre county—Henderson c, Curtin p and 3, Robinson 3 and p, Gephart 1, Cameron 1, Saylor and Campbell 2, Russ r, Hudson m, Pletcher ss.

The score by innings was as follows:

Centre Co.—0 3 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—5
Clinton Co.—1 0 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—5

NOTES.

The manager of the baseball team Mr. Bush should have some credit given him for the way he raised the team and handled it, it having been turned over to him on Monday evening to raise.

There is no question whatever as to its being a tie game. Mr. Harris was the umpire and Mr. Whitman only the assistant umpire and had no authority over the closing of the game whatever. The game should have been called off long before it was, as the fielders could not see the ball at all with the dark background of the grove.

The encroaching on the field of the crowd was disgraceful and cost Bellefonte two runs that it should have had.

The R. R. company should erect some sort of a temporary fence to keep crowds back at these events.

Robinson's pitching and work was fine.

The Philipsburg boys all played a good game.

During the game Hudson, of Philipsburg, was hit over the heart by a pitched ball and had two ribs cracked. It was quite a while before he regained consciousness, but at eight o'clock last night he was able to sit up and Dr. Klump said he could go home without danger.

—It is rather singular that an inmate of the Montgomery county jail, especially one under sentence of death, could find opportunity to take his own life in broad daylight.

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The loss of the hair is one of the most serious losses a woman can undergo. Beautiful hair gives many a woman a claim to beauty which would be utterly wanting if the locks were short and scanty. It is almost as serious a loss when the natural hue of the hair begins to fade, and the shining tresses of chestnut and auburn are changed to gray or to a faded shadow of their former brightness. Such a loss is no longer a necessity. There is one remedy which may well be called a great remedy by reason of its great success in stopping the falling of the hair, cleansing the scalp of dandruff, and restoring the lost color to gray or faded tresses. Dr. Ayer's Hair Vigor is a standard and reliable preparation, in use in thousands of homes, and recommended by everyone who has tested it and experienced the remarkable results that follow its use. It makes hair grow. It restores the original color to hair that has turned gray or faded out. It stops hair from falling, cleanses the scalp of dandruff, and gives the hair a thickness and gloss that no other preparation can produce.

Mrs. Herrmann, of 356 East 68th St., New York City, writes:

"A little more than a year ago, my hair began turning gray and falling out, and although I tried ever so many things to prevent a continuance of these conditions, I obtained no satisfaction until I tried Dr. Ayer's Hair Vigor. After using one bottle my hair was restored to its natural color, and ceased falling out."—Mrs. HERRMANN, 356 East 68th St., New York City.

"I have sold Dr. Ayer's Hair Vigor for fifteen years, and I do not know of a case where it did not give entire satisfaction. I have been, and am now using it myself for dandruff and gray hair, and am thoroughly convinced that it is the best on the market. Nothing that I ever tried can touch it. It affords me great pleasure to recommend it to the public."—FRANK M. GROVE, Faunsdale, Ala.

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PREPARING FOR PEACE!

Retrenchment Ordered in All Bureaus of the War Department.

BIG CONTRACTS ANNULLED

Where it Could Be Done Orders for Munitions of War are Cancelled—Troops Being Sent to Home Camps.

SPANISH SOLDIERS' MAIL SENT HOME

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 20.—Retrenchment in nearly all branches of the army is following close upon the cessation of hostilities. Notably is this the case in the ordnance, quartermaster's and engineers bureaus, where the need for the supplies required and the men employed for the exigncies of war no longer exist.

In the ordnance bureau the force at the various arsenals is to be reduced in all cases where this can be accomplished without detriment to the service. The Rock Island arsenal probably will be affected more than any other. There before the war about 240 men were employed. When the peace protocol was signed there were approximately 4,000 men engaged and orders have been issued which will reduce this number by two-thirds.

Before and during the war large numbers of contracts were made with ordnance firms for supplying material. In many cases these were made conditional so that they could be terminated within a few days after the cessation of hostilities, and the department has in every case availed itself of this privilege.

At the end of the civil war the government had outstanding contracts for furnishing a large number of big seacoast projectiles, but as these were regarded as unnecessary when hostilities came to an end, amicable arrangements were made with the companies by which the contracts were cancelled. At the present time contracts are in existence also for furnishing seacoast projectiles, but as the government is desirous of obtaining all contracted for, there will be no necessity to resort to such action as was taken at the close of the civil war.

The quartermaster's department is dispensing as rapidly as possible with such of the transports that were chartered and for which there is now no necessity. Considerable labor is involved in this work as a board of survey has to be appointed to determine the various incidental questions that arise pending the return of the vessels to their owners.

In the engineers' department the services of electricians, mechanics and laborers engaged in the work of harbor and river mine defense and of boatmen employed to patrol the adjacent waters to warn approaching crafts of their danger also are being discharged as rapidly as is consistent with the good of the service.

Orders were given yesterday for the return to their state rendezvous of the following named volunteer regiments: The First Illinois cavalry and the First Maine infantry now at Chickamauga, and the Second New York infantry, now at Fernandina, Fla. The First Illinois is ordered to Springfield, Ill., the First Maine to Augusta, Me., and the Second New York to Troy, N. Y. These regiments were mustered into the military service of the government at the outbreak of the war at the places mentioned and their return there is accepted as conclusive evidence that they are to be mustered out.

The movements of these regiments will begin as soon as the necessary transportation can be provided. Another regiment which has been ordered to return to its recruiting rendezvous is the First Vermont infantry. That regiment, now at Chickamauga, under orders to proceed to Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 19.—In reference to a report that Surgeon-General Sternberg had asked the secretary of war for a court of inquiry, he states that on August 4 last, in a letter to the secretary of war, the surgeon-general made a full explanation with reference to the deficiency in medical supplies at Santiago, showing that ample supplies had been sent with the troops from Tampa, but, owing to difficulties connected with the landing at Siboney, a considerable proportion of the supplies had been left on the transports.

In the same letter the surgeon-general requested that if this statement was not considered satisfactory, a court of inquiry should be appointed to ascertain if there is any responsibility on his part or that of the officers to whom the orders for supplies had been sent. There is no suggestion that a court is to be ordered.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug 19.—The war department has been trying to ascertain the wishes of the troops as far as possible. Up to the present time it looks as if all the volunteers wanted to remain and that the mustering out will have to be by an arbitrary order.

Information received at the department indicates that the desire to remain in the service is not confined to the officers, but that the rank and file wish to continue in the government's service. The department will wait until all information possible is obtained, when, if no troops desire to return to their homes, selections in the best judgment of the officers will be made. The troops when mustered out will be transported to their homes.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 19.—No orders have been prepared or are in contemplation at present looking to sending an army to Cuba. Discussing a report of this kind yesterday, Adjt.-Gen. Corbin said that no one knew what a day would bring forth in the matter of army movements. The war department is just now to busy with other matters to take up the question of organization of an army to be sent to Cuba next October.

In fact little or nothing will be done regarding troops for Cuba save what actual necessity demands, until the commission has made a report. The military commission will know whether troops are needed and be able to suggest the number. In advance of a report of this kind the war department will not organize a Cuban expedition.

Information is reported to have reached Camp Alger that the Second army corps has been selected for garrison duty in Cuba and will leave Middletown, Pa., about the middle of Oct. It is reported further that the detachment selected for the detail will consist of about 60,000 men, to be taken mainly from the two corps commanded by Gen. Lee and Gen. Graham. The Sixteenth Pennsylvania is in the Second army corps. No officer would say that such orders have been received, but it is understood that this information is authentic.

The conditions at Santiago are causing a great deal of uneasiness, and it is believed that more troops will be ordered there very soon.

CENTRE—CLINTON BALL GAME.

Statements from Umpire Harris and Manager Bush.

As there seems to have been some misunderstanding as to the result of the ball game at Hecla park at the business men's picnic on Thursday, between Centre and Clinton county players, and as my decision on the result of the game is questioned, especially by the Clinton county people. I feel called upon to explain my position through the columns of your paper. The game was a close and exciting one, the score being 5 to 5 at the end of the eleventh inning. I was asked at that time to call the game on account of darkness by Mr. Bush manager of the Centre county team, but I ordered another inning played with Clinton county at the bat. I was Umpire on balls and strikes for that inning and Mr. Whitman of Clinton county was umpire in the field. On account of several close decisions by him there was a great deal of dissatisfaction and wrangling among the players, and the spectators crowded into the field thereby delaying the game; darkness was fast approaching, and rain was falling steadily. I therefore called the game back to the end of the even innings and called the score a tie. I claim that my position as umpire of balls and strikes gave me the power to do so, and that the field umpire had no authority whatever to order the inning played out which he did by having the Clinton county pitcher deliver three balls over the plate with no Centre county player up, and then declared the game forfeited to Clinton county by the score of 9 to 0. I think my decision will be upheld by any authority on base ball matters. Any one of the three reasons namely: interference on field by spectators, darkness or rain is sufficient cause for calling a game of ball according to rules of the National League.

J. LINN HARRIS.
UMPIRE.

A STATEMENT FROM MANAGER BUSH OF THE CENTRE COUNTY TEAM.

There has been considerable controversy over the ball game at the business men's picnic and a statement explanatory of the facts I thought would be of assistance in helping the public to an understanding. In the first place the time 4 o'clock was set too late on the program but I managed to get the game started 20 minutes earlier.

Mr. Harris was mode umpire and Mr. Whitman assistant umpire with the consent of the captains to exchange positions in the field every two innings. In the ninth inning it was getting very dark then being 6 o'clock and very cloudy and though the score was tie I wished too call the game off as it was too dark for fair work. The fielders then not being able to see the ball until it rose in the sky above the woods, and Mr. Hudson who was hit by the pitched ball stated that he did not see it until it got so close he had not time to dodge it. I protested playing right along until the end of the eleventh inning when the score was still a tie but it had suddenly gotten much darker by the moving of the clouds and had begun to rain so that people upput their umbrellas the crowd was all over the field the catcher could not see 1st or 3rd bases and the fielders could not see the ball at all any distance away. They started the 12th inning the rain began coming, there was a couple of easy flies missed because of the inability to see the ball until it was too close to get it, the Clinton county team was enabled to get a couple of runs in that way. The ball at last got so wet it slipped out of Robinson's hand several times and got lost in the darkness and at last the umpire Mr. Harris realized the darkness and rain and called the game back to the eleventh inning according to the rules. He was the umpire and had the calling of the game and Mr. Whitman had nothing to do whatever with starting or stopping game or anything except duties of assistant umpire. I hope this explanation will set the matter straight before the people. The Clinton county people refuse as yet to play the game over so there the matter rests to be decided in some other way at some future date.

GEO. T. BUSH.

Big Price For a Broken Heart.

Not long since a Danville, Ill., jury ordered the male defendant in a breach of promise case to pay the competent sum of $54,333.33 to the afflicted fair one. Though it is a pretty high estimate which, if not in dollars and cents exactly as high, yet in general consideration of excellence reaches as lofty an altitude. This is the estimate of the people as to the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a remedy for constipation. The action of this gentle but effective laxative is never accompanied by the griping so marked in the operation of most cathartics. It is an incomparable remedy for and preventive of malarial, rheumatic and kidney complaints, and a promoter o appetite and sleep.

—John Switzer, of Coleville, who has been working in a furnace at Punxsutawney met with a serious accident Wednesday morning. He was working outside on the steam pipes when one of them bursted throwing the scalding water all over him. He was scalded from head to foot and is in a critical condition. He was brought to his home in Coleville Wednesday night. The unfortunate man's condition is so serious and his sufferings so intense that he has to be kept in cotton and under the influence of morphine all the time.

—Mr. Frank Saucerman, the popular tonsorial artist, is rejoicing over the arrival of a pretty little baby girl at his home. Both mother and babe are doing well. Congratulations are now in order.

The European demand for hickory has advanced the price of that wood.

The Bellefonte Republican

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Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

EDWARD T. TUTEN.

Local Department.

—All the papers in this place issued their weekly editions on Wednesday evening of last week.

—The Undine band went to Lock Haven Thursday morning and gave the denizens of that wicked town a sample of sweet and soothing music.

—A blessing alike to young and old; Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Nature's specific for dysentery, diarrhœa and summer complaint.

—Captain Bennison, of Marion township, was in town the other day sporting a black eye and a bruised face caused by a kick from one of his horses.

—A young son was born Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Linn McGinley of this place. Both mother and babe are doing well.

—I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly and quickly effected a permanent cure. C. W. Lenhart, Bowling Green, O.

—The Y. P. S. C. E., of Shiloh, will hold a social at the home of Mr. Williard Dale, August 27th. The Pleasant Gap band is expected to attend.

—The Wesport Bicycle Track Association will hold races on Labor Day Sept. 5th. Entries will close with Aug. 29th. Application blanks may be obtained of Dr. J. K. Gilmore, Westport, Pa.—1 wk.

—Mr. L. H. Musser, the machine agent is the proud possessor of a baby girl. It arrived at his home at Fillmore, Friday morning and weighed eleven pounds. Accept our congratulations Mr. Musser.

—Miss Martha McEntire, of this place, was washing some ribbons in gasoline on Saturday afternoon when it suddenly caught fire from the gas which forms. The young lady's dress caught fire and before it was put out, she was badly burned about the face and hands.

—Charles Crouch, a young man employed at the Standard Scale Works, met with a serious accident Monday morning while on his way to work. He was going out Pine street when he tripped on a loose board and was thrown violently to the ground. A gash was cut in his chin which required six stitches to sew up.

Mr. John Meese is making some extensive improvements to his home on Logan street. An addition has been built to it and a large porch added. Other improvements will be made which will make it one of the handsomest and most convenient homes in town.

—During the last few days there have been numerous calls for cars to move wheat and corn. The railroads are in good shape to handle it, and elevators and storehouses are beginning to fill up. Shipments for exports are light, but the flour exports are treble what they were in August, 1897, from local mills in the country.

—A great sensation developed Friday in the arrest of two prominent and aged citizens of Centre Hall, who are charged with rape by Sarah Shunk, aged about 13 years Both parties gave bail for their appearance at court, which commenced Monday, it being the only week of August term. The community is divided in its opinion, the majority holding that the parties are innocent and that the prosecution was brought about by a conspiracy to blackmail the defendants. Others, of course, think differently.

—One day last week great excitement occurred at the High street bridge across Spring creek, because screams were heard emminating from the stream. Two hundred people rushed to the place expecting that some person had fallen in and was drowning. Upon their arrival at the bridge some 30 or more kids were racing an eel up and down the stream and yelling with all the lung power they possessed. Finally Curt Johnson, Jr. captured the eel amidst the shouts and laughter of those engaged in the race and onlookers. when the crowd dispersed.

—The new Bellefonte creamery is in successful operation, its full capacity being 25,000 pounds of butter weekly. Mr. Krumrine, formerly of the State creamery at State College, is the head butter maker. The cost of the building was only $1,000 and is a substantial one. The outside is lined, and between the weather boarding is filled in with sawdust, while the inside is finished with Southern pine, and is cool, and kept as clean as soap and water can make it. The machinery is of the latest improved, and cost a little over $3,000. The creamery is doing considerable home business in furnishing families with sterilized and pasturized milk.

THE BUSINESS MEN'S MEETING.

Held at Hecla Park Tuesday Evening—Beautiful Fireworks.

The Central Railroad of Pennsylvania ran a special excursion to Hecla Park. Tuesday to allow the public to see the beautiful display of fireworks in the evening which they had been prevented from setting off on Business Men's day owing to the rain. In addition to this there was a meeting of the Business Men's Association to elect officers for the ensuing year and also to decide some other business matters. It was decided by the committee to award the flag to the Clinton county base ball team for them to donate to Co. H., 12th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, now doing duty at Camp Alger, Virginia. The electing of officers for the ensuing year was then taken up and the following men were named.

President—Hammond Sechler, of Bellefonte.

Vice President—G. L. Morelock, of Lock Haven.

Treasurer—G. W. Fredericks, of Lock Haven.

Secretary—J. Calvin Meyers of Bellefonte.

Executive Committee—T. A. Shoemaker, J. Will Conley, John I. Olewine, J. D. Sourbeck, Bellefonte; W. H. Noll, of Pleasant Gap; O. E. Miles, Milesburg; S. H. Bennison, Abdera; T. J. Smull, Mackeyville; P. P. Rittman, W. F. Elliot, Torence Shearer, George W. Mason, Lock Haven; A. C. Mann, Mill Hall, Dr. J. White, S. S. Crissman, Philipsburg.

At the conclusion of the Business Men's meeting the display of fireworks took place on the big lake. It was under the charge of an expert in the person of John D. Sourbeck of this place. It was certainly fine and worth going a great ways to see.

Death at Jacksonville.

Mrs. Sarah J. Long wife of Wm. H. Long died at her home in Jacksonville, Friday afternoon. She is survived by her husband and three children. The funeral which was largely attended took place Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment was made at Jacksonville.

—Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in case of burns cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

—Judge John G. Love delivered the principal oration at the veterans re-union at Pine, Clinton county, Thursday.

—Scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleansing, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

—W. Harrison Walker Esq., of this place, has been summoned to serve as a juror at the U. S. court, in Williamsport in September.

—Monday John H. Hall, conductor on the Central railroad, was looking brighter and more joyful than usual. It's a boy and we don't blame him for smiling.

—The new telephone line between this place and Lock Haven will soon be completed. The poles have been erected all along the public highway from Bellefonte to Lamar. The stringing of the wires will be begun at once and the completion of the line will be but a matter of a few weeks.

—Fortney Hilton, formerly of this place, is in trouble in Altoona where he is porter at the hotel Altamonte. Fortney is accused of highway robbery by Irene Williams, a dusky damsel who charges him with having stole her gold spectacles and $5 in money. Hilton denies the charge but the spectacles were found on him.

—The boys and girls will soon respond to the summons of the school bell. Those who have not been vaccinated should have that important matter attended to at once. The law requires it and school officers are bound by their oaths to enforce it. Their private opinions have no bearing on the matter.

—The suicide of Kaiser, the wife murderer, who was awaiting execution in the Norristown jail, was not a very surprising event. He was thoroughly bad, as the circumstances attending the cruel assassination of his wife attest. He was likewise a miserable coward until driven into a corner. It may be that the wretched career and shameful end of this suicide will point a moral for the warning of some young man who has started on the downward way.

A FATAL RUNAWAY!

Which Happened at Centre Hall, Pa., Tuesday Morning.

AN AGED MAN'S TRAGIC DEATH,

Jacob Strohm, of Tusseyville Thrown Out of a Buggy and Killed—Mrs. John W. Lose and two Children of this Place Badly Injured.

IN MAKING A TURN AN AXLE BROKE

Tuesday morning the news reached here of the terrible runaway accident which occurred between Tusseyville and Centre Hall and resulted in the death of Jacob Strohm, an old and highly respected citizen of Tusseyville and in severely injuring Mrs. John W. Lose and two children of this place.

Mrs. Lose is the wife of Quartermaster Sergeant John W. Lose of Company B., and during her husband's absence at the front she has been making her home with Jacob Strohm at Tusseyville, whose daughter she is by adoption.

Tuesday morning they decided to drive to Centre Hall and do some shopping. It was about 7 o'clock when the accident happened which we are about to relate. In the buggy were Jacob Strohm, Mrs. Lose and her two children, Strohm and Mary. When passing the toll gate below Centre Hall, a team driveing up behind them frightened heir horse, which was just a young colt and it started at break neck speed along the road to Centre Hall. Mr. Strohm was able to keep the horse in the road and nothing happened until they reached the Centre Hall P. R, R., station. Here there is a new piece of road recently covered with broken stone and in making the turn an axle broke and the unfortunate occupants of the rig were thrown with terrific force on the hard stones.

They were at once picked up and carried into the residence of Mr. W. H. Bartholomew and Dr. Alexander was sent for. Mr. Strohm's skull was crushed in and he only lived a few minutes. Mrs. Lose's collar bone was broken and she was in an unconscious condition. The little boy Strohm has his hip injured and Mary is badly bruised and cut.

A telegram announcing the sad news was sent at once to Sergeant Lose at Chickamauga, Ga., and he will start for home as soon as possible.

Jacob Strohm was a prosperous farmer highly respected by all who were acquainted with him. He was 76 years of age and is survived by his wife Mrs. Eva Strohm. He was an uncle of ex-county commissioner James Strohm.

Death of Anna Martin.

Anna Martin next to the youngest child of John H. Martin, died Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her fathers home in Bush Addition. She had been an invalid all her life and her death was finally due to a complication of diseases. She was born in Bellefonte and was between seven and eight years old. She is survived by her father and mother and the following brothers and sisters: Sadie J. Harry W. and Helen all of Bellefonte. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house.

Expert Railroad Men.

Last Thursday, the day of the Business Men's picnic the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania handled over eight thousand passengers without a single accident. This certainly was a remarkable feat and evidences the fact that its employees are all sober, attentive and first class railroad men unexcelled by those of any other road, which also in turn speaks well for the management of the road.

Schenck Reunion.

All the preliminary arrangements have been made for the second reunion of the descendants of Rev. Michael Schenck, one of the earliest pioneers of Bald Eagle valley. This reunion will be held Thursday, September 8th, unless the weather should prove unpropitious, in which case it will be held the following day, on the old homestead about a mile north of Howard station.

Doubtless a vast throng, not only of the descendants, for all good citizens will be welcome, will gather on this occasion to do honor to so worthy a pioneer.

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Miss Shields, of Williamsport, is visiting Miss Nan Schofield.

Guy Harris, of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting his old home in this place.

Joseph Harris, of Fort Wayne, Ind., is visiting his mother in this place.

Mrs. William Tripple, of this place, is visiting friends in Lock Haven.

P. B. Crider returned home Monday, from a pleasant trip to Atlantic City.

Wm. P. Humes, of this place, transacted business in Philadelphia last week.

Misses Elizabeth and Mary Fryberger, of Philipsburg are visiting friends in this place.

Misses Emma Aikens and Mary Ceaders, of this place, were Tyrone visitors Saturday.

Messrs. James Krum and Samuel Brickford, of Lock Haven, were Bellefonte visitors Tuesday.

Miss Charlotte Graham of Lewistown is visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Butts, on North street.

Miss Ida Halderman, of Bellefonte, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, of Lock Haven.

Rev, J. Cooper and daughter Miss Naomi, of Philadelphia were Bellefonte visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. R. V. Pugh and her sister, Miss Clara Valentine, left Friday for Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Mrs. John Roundtree has moved from this place to Mill Hall, where she will make her future home.

Miss Maude Kennedy of State College, spent last week at the home of Mr. Al Diehl on Thomas street.

Messrs. Frank Oswalt, J. D. Brown and Lawrence Nugent of Snow Shoe, transacted business in town Wednesday.

John Furst and wife, of Williamsport, spent Sunday with Mr. Furst' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Furst of this place.

Mr and Mrs J C Meyer and daughter of this place, spent last week at Mr Meyer's boyhood home in Aaronsburg.

Miss Sallie Morgan, who has been visiting friends in Woodland, Mill Hall and Lock Haven, returned home Thursday.

Gov. Daniel H. Hastings, who has been spending the past week with his family in this place. left Monday for Harrisburg.

Mrs. James Munson son and daughter, of Philipsburg, are visiting at the pleasant home of Mr. John Ardell, on East Linn street.

Miss Louise Kellerman, one of the obliging lady operators at the Bellefonte telephone exchange, is sojourning at Atlantic City.

John M. Keichline, W. T. Kelley, D. J. Kelley and Jerome Harper, all of this place, spent Saturday and Sunday in Tyrone.

Lieut. George L. Jackson, who has been home from Chickamauga for the past two weeks on a furlough, left Tuesday to rejoin his company.

Miss Edna Wilson and her brother, Wilber, departed Tuesday for Boalsburg to visit their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barr.

Miss Maud Schenck, the bright and pretty daughter of postmaster, Hayes Schenck, of Howard is the guest of her cousin Miss Blanche Smith of this place.

Mr. Allen Schofield, wife and son, of New York City, and Mr. William Schofield, of Birmingham, are visiting their brother Hon. James Schofield, of this place.

Mr. Wm. Speer and wife of Pittsburg, who have been visiting Mr. Speer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Speer, of this place, returned to their home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward Shoemaker, Mrs. J. D. Scravendyke and C. M. Parrish returned Saturday night from Baltimore where they attended the funeral of the late John D. Scravendyke.

Sheriff W. M Cronister, John Noll, Thomas Shaughensey, Wm. Waddle, John G. Love and many other Bellefonters, took in the great celebration in Tyrone on Saturday.

Misses Bertha Alexander of Unionville, and Winifred McEwen of Tyrone, spent Thursday in Bellefonte as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tripple on Thomas street. They attended the Business Men's picnic at Hecla park in the afternoon.

Robert Woodring Married

Robert Woodring the popular mail carrier of the north ward, Bellefonte, surprised his many friends by slipping away to Philadelphia, Wednesday morning, where he was united in the holy bonds of wedlock to Miss Johanna B. Knudsen, of this place. Miss Mabel Woodring, a sister of the groom accompanied them and acted as bridesmaid. After a short wedding tour Mrs. Woodring will sail for her old home in Norway where she will visit her parents until next Spring when she will return to this country. Mr. Woodring will return to Bellefonte in two weeks and resume his work as mail carrier. On his wife's return they will go to house-keeping in this place.

The groom is a steady and industrious young man and will make a most exemplary husband while the bride is one of the brightest and prettiest young lady's in Bellefonte and will make a fitting help mate through life. This paper joins with the many friends in extending its heartiest congratulations to the happy couple.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Adopted by the Centre County Bar in Memory of John Kline.

We are indebted to W. Harrison Walker, Esq., for the following interesting report of the Court proceedings:

Court convened Monday morning at 9 o'clock a. m., with Hon. John G. Love, president judge, on the bench.

The entire forenoon session was taken up in the hearing of motions and petitions presented by the different members of the bar.

The list of grand jurors was called by the Prothonotary and J. A. Aikens, of Bellefonte, was selected as foreman. After an interesting and instructive charge delivered by the Court, they retired to pass upon the different bills of indictment to be presented by the district attorney.

The constables then made their quarterly returns to the court of quarter sessions.

At the completion of the general work of the forenoon session the committee on resolutions on the death of John Kline, esq., were read, and appropriate remarks made by Mr. Dale and other members of the Bar, concluding by remarks by Hon. Jno. G. Love. The following are the resolutions adopted by the Bar association

RESOLUTIONS.

The members of the Centre County Bar having heard with sorrow of the death of John Kline, Esq., a highly honored and respected member of the Bar Association, desire to place on record a minute and resolution of their respect for the deceased.

John Kline, Esq. was born at Millheim, Centre county, Pa., May 10th, 1849, and died at his home in the borough of Bellefonte, July 22nd, 1898, making his age 49 years, 2 months and 12 days.

His boyhood days were spent on the farm, working during the summer and going to school in the winter. He received his academical education at the Boalsburg Academy where he prepared for college and in September, 1873, entered the Freshman Class of Pennsylvania College at Gettysburg, Pa., from which institution he graduated with honor in 1877. After his graduation he taught school for several terms, in the meantime pursuing the study of law.

He was admitted to the bar May 4th, 1883, and at once attracted the attention of his fellow members and the public in general by his constant application to the duties of his profession. Whatever was entrusted to his care, received his closest attention. He was noted throughout his entire life as a diligent student, whether at the common schools of his neighborhood, at the academy, at college or in study of law and in the preparation of his cases. This characteristic diligence marked his course, until his enfeebled health compelled him to relinquish the active duties of his profession. Nature had endowed him with a robust constitution and it was with surprise and sorrow that his friends learned, about one year ago, that a fatal disease threatened his life.

His temperate habits and consistent life enabled him to battle against the disease for many months after it was supposed it would prove fatal. He was a noble, upright man, always desirous of doing his duty towards his fellowmen and seeking the good of others.

In view of his untimely death, be it resolved by the members of the Bar Association: That in the death of John Kline, Esq., the profession has lost an honorable, conscientious member, the community a good and useful citizen, his family a loving and devoted husband and father. Resolved, that a copy of this minute and resolution be spread upon the records of the Court and a copy be transmitted to the family of the deceased.

W. HARRISON WALKER,
CLEMENT DALE,
WM. C. HEINLE,
CALVIN M. BOWER,
R. H. HARSHBERGER.

Court adjourned to 2 p. m.

Court called at 2 p. m. Monday, and after the presentation of motions and petitions and after the calling of the heirs in several partition proceeding the Court resumed the trial of cases in the Quarter Sessions.

Joe Parker was the prosecutor in the case of Commonwealth vs. Mathias Parker, in an action of assault and battery. It appeared from the evidence that the young men had a "scrap" and to decide their case had it returned to Court. The jury rendered a verdict of "guilty" after an hour's consideration.

In the cases of the Commonwealth vs. J. F. Harshberger and of the Commonwealth vs. Clyde Davis, the plea of guilty was entered to the charges of fornication and bastardy. They were both sentenced to pay a fine of $1, the costs of prosecution, $1.25 per week for the period of seven years, payable quarterly, and to enter into a bond in the sum of $500 to the overseers of the poor of their respective townships.

H. H. Berry vs. H. A Snyder, administrator. This was a civil action to revive and continue the lien of a judgment. There being practically no defence the Court ordered the jury to render a verdict in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendant in the sum of $65.00, reserving however to the defendant the right to any credits that might hereafter be discovered.

In the appeal of J. P. Gephart vs. D. J. Musser the jury found in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of $26.80.

Commonwealth vs. Geo. Johnson and Curtin Swyers was next called. This was a prosecution by Mary McKinley, charging the defendants with malicious mischief. By the evidence it appeared that that Mrs. McKinley was disturbed by the clash of stones against her house, breaking her windows, etc The defendants alleged and proved that they were innocent which was evidenced by a prompt acquittal by the jury. The costs were directed to be paid by the county.

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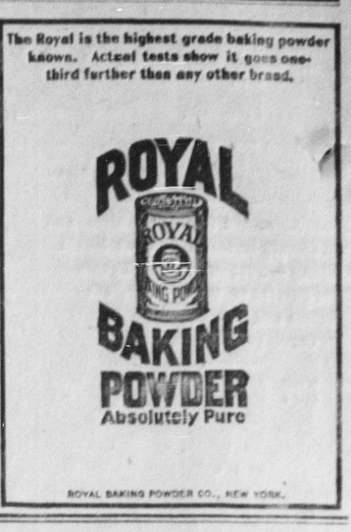

The case of Commonwealth vs. Austin Walker, indicted for maintaining a nuisance, was returned by the grand jury as "Not a true bill and the county to pay the costs." The same was done in the Commonwealth vs. Charles Baney for committing an assault and battery, and on another charge of malicious mischief.

The bill in the case of Commonwealth vs. Jas. McCool was ignored and the county directed to pay the costs.

In the case of Commonwealth vs. Chas. Summers, the defendant plead guilty to the charges of larceny and receiving stolen goods, and was sentenced by the Court to pay a fine of $1, the costs of prosecution and to undergo an imprisonment in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon according to the rules and regulations governing said institution.

Commonwealth vs. Nora Whippo, Hattie Corman and Mary Whippo was called and Hattie Corman, one of the defendants, plead guilty to the charges of keeping a disorderly house Sentence was suspended.

The usual sentence was meeted out to Nortor R. Buchanan who was indicted for fornication and bastardy.

The last case on trial Tuesday afternoon was that of Commonwealth vs. John Potter.

THE REPORT OF THE GRAND JURY.

To the Honorable, the judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Centre, August Sessions A. D. 1898.

The Grand inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania inquiring for the County and all matters relating to the same do respectfully report: That we have acted upon twenty-four bills of indictment and one presentment and sixteen were found true bills, and eight were ignored.

We beg further to report that we have visited and inspected the County buildings and our observations prompt the following suggestions. While we heartily approve of the nice improvement made to ceiling and walls of Court room, we beg to suggest that it would be in harmony to place comfortable modern chairs where the old box seats have so long served.

We further call special attention to the jury rooms, which for long sittings are uncomfortably small and close, here modern chairs would be very desirable. That these rooms by all means should be provided with water closets.

We still further urge, that whatever means are used to improve the vaults, where so many valuable records are on file, that strict inquiry should be made, to place beyond a shadow of a doubt the fact, that they are fire proof. We feel that too many valuable interests are at stake to trust this to guess work.

We recommend that the steps in front of the Court House should be repaired to conform with the rest of the building.

We respectfully tender our thanks to the Honorable John G. Love, President Judge, and to the District Attorney, for their courtesy and assistance rendered us during our deliberations.

J. A. AIKENS, Foreman.

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Cupid's Net.

The following marriage licenses have been issued during the past week by Register G. W. Rumbergers.

Klighfus W. Tate, of Pleasant Gap and Julia Jackson, of Lemont.

Clayton E. Boob and Sadie M. Dresher both of Woodward, Centre county.

Robert H. Woodring and Johanna B. Knudsen, both of Bellefonte, Pa.

John A. Fravel and Minnie Reynolds, both of Philipsburg, Pa.

—The officials of the Central railroad state that over 8000 people were hauled over their road to the Business Men's picnic.